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## Statistical Bulletin—June Quarter, 1939.

No. 1—Population of New South Wales and Elements of Increase.

Quarter.	Estimated Population at end of Quarter.			Natural Increase (Excess of Births over Deaths).	Increase in Population during Quarter by Migration (Excess of Arrivals over Departures).				Increase by Migration.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		Interstate.			Oversea.	
					By Land and Air.	§By Sea.	Total.		
1937.									
March ...	1,358,945	1,330,277	2,689,222	6,069	(-) 169	2,100	1,931	(-) 514	1,417
June ...	1,360,058	1,332,601	2,692,659	5,559	(-) 647	(-) 751	(-) 1,398	(-) 724	(-) 2,122
September ...	1,363,628	1,336,740	2,700,368	4,947	1,065	783	1,848	914	2,762
December ...	1,368,505	1,342,233	2,710,738	5,687	2,013	380	2,393	2,290	4,683
Year ...	...	...	...	22,262	2,262	2,512	4,774	1,966	6,740
1938.									
March ...	1,371,713	1,346,160	2,717,873	5,877	(-) 608	1,595	987	271	1,258
June ...	1,371,759	1,347,142	2,718,901	5,388	(-) 2,587	(-) 617	(-) 3,204	(-) 1,155	(-) 4,360
September ...	1,374,095	1,350,562	2,724,657	4,397	193	623	816	543	1,359
December ...	1,379,962	1,355,733	2,735,695	5,552	2,196	(-) 420	1,776	3,710	5,486
Year ...	...	...	...	21,214	(-) 806	1,181	375	3,368	3,743
1939.									
March ...	1,382,556	1,360,303	2,742,859	5,639	506	963	1,469	56	1,525

(-) Denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

§ Including adjustments for Cruise Passengers.

### Mean Population—

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Year ended 30th June, 1938 ...	1,367,516	1,341,317	2,708,833
Year ended 31st December, 1938 ...	1,372,935	1,348,261	2,721,196

No. 2.—Net Migration to and from New South Wales.

Excess of arrivals over departures.

(-) Denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

Country.	Year 1937.	1938.					1939.
		March Quarter.	June Quarter.	September Quarter.	December Quarter.	Total, 1938.	March Quarter.
Interstate—							
Victoria ...	3,873	281	694	(-) 158	99	916	919
Queensland ...	(-) 1,442	(-) 1,161	(-) 3,516	111	2,699	(-) 1,867	(-) 1,223
South Australia ...	1,106	163	(-) 79	53	13	150	446
Western Australia ...	533	141	(-) 233	44	404	356	311
Tasmania ...	(-) 893	748	485	252	(-) 1,960	(-) 475	761
Northern Territory ...	18	(-) 49	(-) 34	(-) 76	77	(-) 82	(-) 16
Federal Territory ...	(-) 345	(-) 179	(-) 662	(-) 79	174	(-) 746	(-) 284
By air ...	544	38	20	193	37	288	(-) 53
Adjustment ...	1,380	1,005	121	476	233	1,835	608
Total, Interstate ...	4,774	987	(-) 3,204	816	1,776	375	1,469
Oversea—							
United Kingdom ...	(-) 783	(-) 1,123	(-) 1,901	281	2,147	(-) 596	10
Canada ...	446	3	(-) 92	377	666	954	280
Territory of New Guinea ...	(-) 40	2	(-) 32	(-) 32	3	(-) 59	27
Fiji ...	(-) 76	144	(-) 284	5	14	(-) 121	40
Hong Kong ...	232	335	46	198	189	768	69
India and Ceylon ...	166	86	102	(-) 26	(-) 13	149	254
New Zealand ...	451	609	1,801	(-) 650	(-) 1,397	363	(-) 1,097
Other British Possessions ...	(-) 654	44	(-) 190	(-) 172	17	(-) 301	48
Egypt ...	608	9	53	109	152	323	165
France ...	319	(-) 50	(-) 12	76	219	233	140
Italy ...	883	208	78	281	503	1,070	285
Japan ...	(-) 74	1	2	5	37	45	(-) 11
United States of America ...	493	(-) 54	(-) 446	120	717	337	(-) 304
Other Countries ...	(-) 5	57	(-) 281	(-) 29	456	203	150
Total, Oversea ...	1,966	271	(-) 1,156	543	3,710	3,368	56
Net Migration ...	6,740	1,258	(-) 4,360	1,359	5,486	3,743	1,525

### No. 3.—Nationality of Oversea Migrants to and from New South Wales— 1938 and 1939.

Nationality or Race.	During Year 1938.		During March Quarter, 1939.					
	Total Arrivals.	Total Departures.	Arrivals.			Departures.		
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
British ... ..	41,144	40,896	5,713	6,327	12,040	6,875	6,632	13,507
Danish ... ..	59	67	11	4	15	9	4	13
Dutch ... ..	233	205	42	34	76	26	28	54
French ... ..	507	493	50	57	107	86	71	157
German ... ..	1,554	336	548	547	1,095	78	53	131
Greek ... ..	341	120	97	40	137	33	12	45
Italian ... ..	835	294	179	80	259	74	11	85
Maltese (British) ... ..	54	32	15	8	23	16	2	18
Norwegian ... ..	28	33	2	4	6	4	2	6
Russian ... ..	197	74	31	25	56	35	25	60
Swedish ... ..	45	57	8	1	9	9	5	14
Swiss ... ..	84	69	20	8	28	7	7	14
United States of America ... ..	1,727	1,547	275	249	524	261	242	503
Yugoslav ... ..	335	239	52	37	89	32	24	56
Other European ... ..	688	254	186	152	338	76	33	109
Chinese ... ..	1,360	1,229	194	44	238	225	30	261
Indian ... ..	468	412	126	15	141	105	13	118
Japanese ... ..	151	173	31	3	34	33	2	35
Syrian ... ..	79	13	10	7	17	3	3	6
Other Non-European ... ..	151	129	47	17	64	37	11	48
Total ... ..	50,040	46,672	7,637	7,659	15,296	8,024	7,216	15,240

### No. 4.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—New South Wales—1928-39.

Year.	Estimated Population at End of Year.†	Live Births.*	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
			Total.*	Under one year.*		Live Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	
1928 ... ..	2,483,129	54,800	22,694	3,004	20,076	22.27	9.22	8.16	54.8
1929 ... ..	2,519,693	52,672	24,615	2,983	19,535	21.04	9.83	7.80	56.6
1930 ... ..	2,546,353	52,136	21,252	2,597	17,383	20.59	8.39	6.86	49.8
1931 ... ..	2,566,314	47,724	21,284	2,077	15,377	18.67	8.33	6.02	43.5
1932 ... ..	2,591,731	44,905	21,357	1,844	17,362	17.41	8.28	6.73	41.1
1933 ... ..	2,613,519	44,195	22,322	1,739	18,399	16.98	8.58	7.07	39.3
1934 ... ..	2,636,203	43,335	23,474	2,009	20,210	16.52	8.95	7.70	46.4
1935 ... ..	2,657,666	44,676	24,547	1,762	22,361	16.89	9.28	8.45	39.4
1936 ... ..	2,681,736	46,193	24,376	2,008	22,873	17.31	9.14	8.57	43.5
1937 ... ..	2,710,738	47,497	25,235	1,932	23,188	17.63	9.36	8.61	40.7
1938 ... ..	2,735,695	47,319	26,105	1,980	24,579	17.39	9.59	9.03	41.8
Jan.—March, 1938	.....	11,637	5,760	442	5,987	17.17	8.50	8.83	38.0
Jan.—March, 1939	.....	12,194	6,555	†	5,978	17.83	9.58	8.74	†

\* Including aboriginals to 31st December, 1932.

They are omitted from 1st January, 1933.

† Adjusted on basis of Census, 1933. Aboriginals are excluded.

† Not yet available.

### No. 5.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—Metropolis—1929-39.

Year.	Estimated Population at End of Year.	Live Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
			Total.	Under one year.		Live Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	
1929 ... ..	1,176,900	22,347	12,469	1,263	11,488	10.92	11.12	10.24	56.5
1930 ... ..	1,190,590	21,927	10,854	1,095	9,859	18.52	9.17	8.33	49.9
1931 ... ..	1,200,830	19,080	10,901	816	8,258	15.96	9.12	6.91	44.3
1932 ... ..	1,213,880	17,583	10,890	686	9,425	14.56	9.02	7.81	39.0
1933† ... ..	1,240,520	17,083	11,580	629	9,995	13.83	9.37	8.09	36.8
1934 ... ..	1,249,040	16,538	11,847	731	11,148	13.30	9.53	8.97	44.2
1935 ... ..	1,254,780	16,907	12,552	602	12,377	13.52	10.04	9.90	35.6
1936 ... ..	1,267,350	17,759	12,435	741	12,784	14.11	9.88	10.15	41.7
1937 ... ..	1,279,080	18,158	13,168	703	13,164	14.28	10.36	10.35	38.7
1938 ... ..	1,288,721	18,559	13,461	714	14,284	14.48	10.50	11.14	38.5
Jan.—March, 1938	.....	4,534	2,985	158	3,384	14.18	9.33	10.58	34.8
Jan.—March, 1939	.....	4,827	*	*	3,545	14.98	*	11.00	*

† From 1st January, 1933, the Metropolis was extended by the inclusion of the Municipalities of Dundas, Ermington and Rydalmere, and the Pitt and Merrylands Wards of Holroyd Municipality. See also notes under Table 4.

\* Not yet available.



## No. 6.—Municipalities—Population at 31st December, 1938.

Metropolitan Municipality.	Estimated Population at 31st December, 1938.	Country Municipality.	Estimated Population at 31st December, 1938.	Country Municipality.	Estimated Population at 31st December, 1938.
City of Sydney ... ..	88,870	Balance of Cumberland— Cabramatta and Canley Vale ... ..	7,250	Central Tableland— Bathurst ... ..	11,050
Suburbs—		Campbelltown ... ..	3,030	Blackheath ... ..	1,610
Inner Industrial—		Castlereagh ... ..	1,210	Cowra ... ..	5,450
Paddington ... ..	24,200	Fairfield ... ..	9,870	Gulgong ... ..	1,820
Redfern ... ..	17,800	Holroyd (Guildford and Wentworth Wards) ... ..	8,710	Katoomba ... ..	6,990
Waterloo ... ..	11,420	Ingleburn ... ..	2,040	Lithgow ... ..	13,510
Alexandria ... ..	8,600	Liverpool ... ..	6,860	Mudgee ... ..	4,160
Mascot ... ..	15,480	Penrith ... ..	4,100	Orange ... ..	10,310
Botany ... ..	8,780	Richmond ... ..	2,710	Wellington ... ..	4,520
St. Peters ... ..	12,560	St. Mary's ... ..	3,150	Total ... ..	59,420
Erskineville ... ..	6,360	Windsor ... ..	3,460	Southern Tableland— Bomabala ... ..	980
Newtown ... ..	24,650	Total ... ..	52,390	Cooma ... ..	2,150
Darlington ... ..	2,850	North Coast—		Goulburn ... ..	15,360
Glebe ... ..	19,150	Ballina ... ..	3,190	Queanbeyan ... ..	4,220
Annandale ... ..	11,860	Casino ... ..	6,080	Yass ... ..	3,020
Leichhardt ... ..	30,110	Grafton ... ..	7,300	Total ... ..	25,730
Belmain ... ..	27,560	Grafton, South ... ..	2,890	North-western Slope— Barraba ... ..	1,480
Total ... ..	221,380	Kempsey ... ..	5,320	Bingara ... ..	1,450
Illawarra-Bankstown—		Lismore ... ..	13,010	Gunnedah ... ..	4,100
Marrickville ... ..	46,040	Maclean ... ..	1,680	Manilla ... ..	1,930
Rockdale ... ..	41,730	Mullumbimby ... ..	1,470	Murrumbidgee ... ..	1,200
Bexley ... ..	21,890	Murwillumbah ... ..	4,540	Quirindi ... ..	2,720
Kogarah ... ..	33,100	Ulmara ... ..	1,980	Tamworth ... ..	10,840
Hurstville ... ..	24,760	Total ... ..	47,460	Total ... ..	23,720
Canterbury ... ..	83,270	Hunter and Manning—		Central Western Slope— Dubbo ... ..	8,680
Enfield ... ..	15,140	* Greater Newcastle ... ..	115,660	Forbes ... ..	5,700
Bankstown ... ..	27,760	Cessnock ... ..	14,460	Molong ... ..	1,690
Total ... ..	293,690	Dungog ... ..	2,200	Narromine ... ..	1,730
Inner Western—		Gosford ... ..	3,700	Parkes ... ..	6,240
Petersham ... ..	27,480	Maitland, East ... ..	4,420	Peak Hill ... ..	1,280
Ashfield ... ..	40,750	Maitland, West ... ..	8,260	Total ... ..	25,320
Drummoyne ... ..	30,700	Morpeth ... ..	1,040	South-western Slope— Albury ... ..	11,500
Burwood ... ..	20,080	Muswellbrook ... ..	3,430	Burrowa ... ..	1,590
Strathfield ... ..	12,970	Port Macquarie ... ..	2,000	Cootamundra ... ..	4,870
Homebush ... ..	3,230	Scone ... ..	2,290	Grenfell ... ..	2,650
Concord ... ..	24,230	Singleton ... ..	3,830	Junee ... ..	4,350
Total ... ..	159,440	Taree ... ..	5,090	Murrumburrah ... ..	2,730
Outer Western—		Wingham ... ..	1,770	Temora ... ..	4,280
Lidcombe ... ..	17,750	Total ... ..	168,150	Wagga Wagga ... ..	12,630
Auburn ... ..	20,510	South Coast—		Young ... ..	4,310
Granville ... ..	20,620	Bega ... ..	2,590	Total ... ..	48,910
Parramatta ... ..	19,250	Berry ... ..	2,800	North Central Plain— Moree ... ..	4,810
Holroyd (Pitt and Merrylands Wards) ... ..	9,050	Bowral ... ..	3,140	Narrabri ... ..	3,270
Total ... ..	87,180	Broughton Vale ... ..	300	Total ... ..	8,080
Northern—		Camden ... ..	2,570	Central Plain— Condobolin ... ..	2,850
Manly ... ..	25,160	Gerrington ... ..	890	Copnamble ... ..	2,900
Mosman ... ..	24,950	Illawarra, North ... ..	8,820	Nyngan ... ..	1,680
North Sydney ... ..	51,700	Jamberoo ... ..	1,140	Warren ... ..	1,710
Willoughby ... ..	45,280	Kiama ... ..	2,510	Total ... ..	9,140
Kuring-gai ... ..	31,760	Mittagong ... ..	1,830	Riverina— Corowa ... ..	3,060
Lane Cove ... ..	16,130	Nowra ... ..	3,220	Deniliquin ... ..	3,470
Hunter's Hill ... ..	9,600	Picton ... ..	1,060	Hay ... ..	3,310
Ryde ... ..	30,350	Shellharbour ... ..	2,130	Hillston ... ..	1,190
Eastwood ... ..	3,230	Shoalhaven, South ... ..	830	Moama ... ..	790
Dundas ... ..	6,570	Ulladulla ... ..	1,550	Narrandera ... ..	4,290
Ermington and Rydalmere ... ..	2,440	Wollongong ... ..	16,800	Total ... ..	16,110
Total ... ..	247,170	Total ... ..	52,180	Western Division— Balranald ... ..	1,360
Eastern—		Northern Tableland—		Bourke ... ..	1,950
Vaucluse ... ..	7,910	Armidale ... ..	7,150	Brewarrina ... ..	870
Woolahra ... ..	38,020	Glen Innes ... ..	5,480	Broken Hill ... ..	28,100
Waverley ... ..	60,990	Inverell ... ..	6,000	Cobar ... ..	1,610
Randwick ... ..	84,070	Tenterfield ... ..	2,740	Wentworth ... ..	890
Total ... ..	190,990	Uralla ... ..	1,150	Wilcannia ... ..	670
Total (Suburbs) ... ..	1,199,850	Walcha ... ..	1,560	Total ... ..	35,450
Total (Metropolis) ... ..	1,288,720	Total ... ..	24,080	Total Municipalities ... ..	1,884,860

\* The City of Greater Newcastle was constituted on 1st April, 1938. It comprises the former municipalities of Adamstown, Carrington, Hamilton, Lambton, New Lambton, Merewether, Newcastle, Stockton, Wallsend, Waratah and Wickham, plus small portions transferred from the Shires of Lake Macquarie and Tarro.



## No. 7.—Shires—Population at 31st December, 1938.

Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1938.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1938.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1938.
Cumberland—		Central Tableland—		S.W. Slope— <i>contd.</i>	
Baulkham Hills ...	8,550	Abercrombie ...	4,120	Jindalee ...	2,570
Blacktown ...	14,860	Blaxland ...	8,380	Kyeamba ...	4,040
Hornsby ...	24,010	Blue Mountains ...	7,300	Mitchell ...	4,190
Nepean ...	3,680	Canobolas ...	9,040	Murrungal ...	2,640
Sutherland ...	15,480	Cola ...	5,480	Narraburra ...	4,350
Warringah ...	17,790	Coolah ...	2,250	Tumbarumba ...	3,060
Total ...	84,370	Crookwell ...	6,590	Tumut ...	8,000
North Coast—		Cudgegong ...	5,600	Weddin ...	4,060
Bellingen ...	6,230	Lyndhurst ...	7,420	Total ...	71,720
Byron ...	8,060	Macquarie ...	4,630		
Copmanhurst ...	3,550	Merriwa ...	3,250	North-Central Plain—	
Dorrigi ...	11,480	Oberon ...	3,120	Booolooroo ...	3,600
Gundurimba ...	4,760	Rylstone ...	5,910	Boomi ...	3,260
Harwood ...	4,560	Turon ...	4,580	Coonabarabran ...	7,080
Kyogle ...	12,620	Waugoola ...	6,040	Namoi ...	9,450
Macleay ...	9,140	Wyaldra ...	2,410	Total ...	23,390
Nambucca ...	7,930	Total ...	86,120		
Nymboida ...	2,940			Central Plain—	
Orara ...	1,710	Southern Tableland—		Bogan ...	1,920
Terania ...	7,880	Bibbenluke ...	2,890	Lachlan ...	8,380
Tintenbar ...	5,400	Dalgety ...	3,660	Marthaguy ...	2,190
Tomki ...	4,100	Goodradigbee ...	3,540	Walgett ...	3,820
Tweed ...	14,060	Gunning ...	3,260	Wingadee ...	3,560
Woodburn ...	4,550	Monaro ...	2,620	Total ...	19,870
Total ...	108,970	Mulwaree... ..	7,300		
Hunter and Manning		Yarrowlumla ...	3,540	Riverina—	
Bolwarra ...	3,680	Total ...	26,810	Berrigan ...	4,930
Erina ...	14,400			Carrathool ...	5,920
Gloucester ...	4,560	North-Western Slope		Conargo ...	1,210
Hastings ...	9,820	Ashford ...	4,120	Coolamon ...	7,240
Kearsley ...	27,720	Bannockburn ...	3,460	Coreen ...	3,510
Lake Macquarie	30,600	Barraba ...	2,100	Culcairn ...	5,570
Manning ...	14,560	Cockburn... ..	5,110	Jerilderie ...	1,850
Muswellbrook ...	4,220	Gwydir ...	1,960	Lockhart ...	5,680
Patrick Plains ...	6,660	Liverpool Plains...	5,410	Murray ...	3,250
Port Stephens ...	5,290	Mandowah... ..	2,010	Murrumbidgee	850
Stroud ...	6,640	Nundle ...	1,860	Urana ...	3,290
Tarro ...	7,570	Peel ...	6,710	Wade ...	9,890
Upper Hunter ...	5,890	Tamarang ...	3,090	Wakool ...	4,470
Wallerobba ...	5,210	Warrah ...	1,840	Waradgery ...	1,260
Woy Woy ...	2,730	Yallaroi ...	4,540	Willimbong ...	8,550
Total ...	149,550	Total ...	42,210	Windouran ...	820
South Coast—				Yanko ...	5,400
Bulli ...	16,010	Central-Western		Total ...	73,690
Cambewarra ...	1,260	Slope—		Total, Shires ...	826,220
Clyde ...	1,900	Amaroo ...	2,860		
Eurobodalla ...	5,450	Boree ...	7,030	Summary—	
Illawarra Central	12,050	Cobbora ...	5,400	Shires ...	826,220
Imlay ...	4,860	Gilgandra ...	5,500	Municipalities ...	1,884,860
Mumbulla ...	4,750	Goobang ...	6,970	Unincorporated	
Nattai ...	3,810	Jemalong... ..	4,570	Area in Western	
Tallaganda ...	3,200	Talbragar ...	4,060	Division ...	19,400
Wingecarribee ...	6,970	Timbreeongie ...	4,450	Lord Howe Island	171
Wollondilly ...	6,600	Total ...	40,840	Migratory	
Total ...	66,860			(Shipping and	
Northern Tableland—		South-Western Slope		Railway	
Apsley ...	2,980	Bland ...	12,530	Travellers) ...	5,044
Dumaresq ...	4,400	Burrangong ...	6,100		
Gostwyck ...	4,280	Demondrillo ...	3,320	Total, State of New	
Guyra ...	6,720	Gundagai... ..	5,320	South Wales ...	2,735,695
Macintyre ...	1,640	Holbrook ...	2,730		
Severn ...	6,340	Hume ...	5,320		
Tenterfield ...	5,460	Illabo ...	2,890		
Total ...	31,820				

## No. 8.—Marriages—Quarterly, 1934 to 1939.

Year.	Quarter ended—				Year.
	March.	June.	September.	December.	
Metropolis—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1934 ...	2,568	2,919	2,431	3,230	11,148
1935 ...	2,878	3,217	2,778	3,504	12,377
1936 ...	3,048	3,364	2,776	3,596	12,784
1937 ...	3,199	3,281	2,876	3,808	13,164
1938 ...	3,384	3,883	3,120	3,898	14,284
1939 ...	3,545	3,837			
Remainder of State—					
1934 ...	2,105	2,533	2,003	2,421	9,062
1935 ...	2,498	2,668	2,192	2,626	9,984
1936 ...	2,445	2,654	2,398	2,592	10,089
1937 ...	2,341	2,658	2,336	2,689	10,024
1938 ...	2,603	2,898	2,211	2,583	10,295
1939 ...	2,431	2,811			

## No. 9.—Sales Tax.—Particulars of Sales and Collections in New South Wales, 1933-39.

Month.	Amount of Sales by Registered Wholesalers (Taxable and Non-taxable).						Tax Collected.*					
	1933-34	1934-5	1935-6	1936-7	1937-8	1938-9	1933-4	1934-5	1935-6	1936-7	1937-8	1938-9
	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000.
July ...	10,329	11,460	12,152	14,169	16,552	16,234	279	263	271	330	270	268
August ...	11,233	11,400	13,544	13,130	16,268	15,284	306	264	314	315	277	273
September ...	11,512	12,250	12,841	13,773	16,480	17,454	341	299	312	301	290	330
October ...	11,305	12,466	14,701	15,098	16,473	15,660	317	297	341	272	298	353
November ...	11,417	11,986	13,201	14,516	17,351	16,927	271	275	325	247	300	303
December ...	11,807	12,688	13,982	13,976	17,167	17,004	285	285	324	245	298	387
January ...	9,871	10,847	11,266	13,740	14,208	13,243	214	233	250	253	236	297
February ...	10,366	10,818	12,722	14,644	15,725	16,539	233	250	281	247	276	332
March ...	10,922	12,387	13,114	15,426	15,785	15,777	263	283	302	267	294	323
April ...	11,253	12,001	13,449	16,446	16,833	15,786	263	289	310	272	307	370
May ...	11,640	13,143	13,436	16,503	16,874	17,461	285	299	315	264	284	366
June ...	10,907	11,599	13,215	14,978	14,983	14,884	245	261	298	241	255	314
Total	132,562	143,045	157,623	176,399	194,499	192,253	3,302	3,298	3,643	3,254	3,394	3,976

NOTE.—Wholesalers trading only in exempt goods do not supply returns. Considerable numbers of commodities were exempt from tax in July, 1931, September, 1932, October, 1933, August, 1934, October, 1935, and September, 1936. Consequently the proportion of wholesale trade covered by the records has been progressively reduced.

The amount of sales for individual months includes some sales effected in previous months.

\* Tax collected mainly upon sales in the month shown, but actually received in the following month. The rate of tax was 2½% from 1st August, 1930, 6% from 11th July, 1931, 5% from 26th October, 1933, 4% from 11th September, 1936, and 5% from 22nd September, 1938.

## No. 10—Direct Oversea Trade (Merchandise) of New South Wales by Countries.

Country.	Imports (Country of Origin). (Value in British Currency.)			Exports (Value in Australian Currency).		
	1935-36.*	1936-37.*	1937-38.*	1935-36.	1936-37.	1937-38.
	£Stg.	£Stg.	£Stg.	£A	£A	£A
United Kingdom ...	13,165,044	15,709,751	20,062,348	15,091,715	18,439,287	17,152,993
Canada ...	2,192,466	2,753,414	3,806,223	568,253	830,138	734,105
Fiji ...	74,911	104,165	61,464	457,816	499,235	633,872
Hong Kong ...	1,105	22,016	22,939	272,594	279,298	408,587
India and Ceylon ...	1,662,376	1,986,413	2,035,049	151,039	196,847	220,993
Irish Free State ...	1,148	1,239	1,193	480,867	726,075	624,493
Malaya ...	267,077	382,706	430,223	350,508	520,200	624,016
New Zealand ...	655,048	566,727	628,765	2,727,521	3,644,263	4,021,574
Union of South Africa ...	161,404	143,673	173,937	126,072	134,483	177,394
Other Oversea British ...	559,858	743,363	929,181	1,033,331	1,219,188	1,434,697
Total, British ...	18,755,527	22,413,467	28,161,522	21,259,716	26,489,014	25,470,634
Belgium ...	261,039	382,700	563,626	3,329,871	3,736,337	2,297,274
China ...	394,546	396,958	338,835	690,049	213,420	205,628
Czechoslovakia ...	185,384	201,362	344,813	181,659	502,293	695,956
France ...	392,169	437,078	458,616	2,722,666	3,408,528	4,542,089
Germany ...	1,264,055	1,587,567	1,924,329	1,015,973	2,006,072	1,967,613
Italy ...	141,299	147,432	344,034	413,888	2,198,476	959,843
Japan ...	2,220,439	1,752,459	2,389,841	6,928,664	4,104,480	1,908,084
Netherlands ...	302,856	461,947	374,868	483,703	680,114	418,006
Netherlands East Indies ...	1,981,341	2,382,312	2,908,012	397,582	446,583	259,242
New Caledonia ...	11,845	50,346	17,720	210,124	237,756	46,532
Norway ...	184,202	190,025	214,630	4,368	53,091	370,979
Philippine Islands ...	35,208	41,599	34,816	325,465	405,085	208,101
Russia ...	24,988	37,391	23,027	50	17,583	96,435
Sweden ...	356,081	462,501	526,990	54,783	93,220	72,908
Switzerland ...	245,333	256,365	384,437	82,825	115,263	1,287,726
United States of America ...	6,391,997	6,388,552	8,206,674	2,808,367	5,184,019	1,400,172
Other Foreign ...	804,624	865,155	958,103	1,532,885	1,520,320	
Total, Foreign ...	15,197,406	15,982,409	20,013,371	21,282,922	25,292,970	17,122,225
Total, all Oversea Trade ...	34,737,279	39,259,647	49,242,620	42,542,638	51,781,984	42,592,859
Nullion and Specie (Excluded above)	1,493,182	1,696,214	1,819,744	4,989,562	5,520,328	5,818,642

\* Value of containers (£784,346 in 1935-36, £863,771 in 1936-37 and £1,067,727 in 1937-38) included in total—country of origin not recorded.

## No. 11.—Direct Oversea Trade of New South Wales—Monthly.

Imports and Exports of Merchandise (excluding Bullion and Specie) in Australian and British Currency Values.

Month.	Imports.				Exports.			
	1935-36.	1936-37.	1937-38.	1938-39.	1935-36.	1936-37.	1937-38.	1938-39.
<i>Australian Currency Values.</i>								
July ... ..	£A 000. 3,497	£A 000. 4,331	£A 000. 4,926	£A 000. 4,743	£A 000. 1,995	£A 000. 1,738	£A 000. 2,520	£A 000. 2,083
August ... ..	3,794	4,023	5,011	5,177	2,090	1,873	2,331	1,909
September ... ..	3,517	3,801	5,248	4,580	3,171	3,502	3,962	2,836
Three months ... ..	10,808	12,155	15,185	14,500	7,256	7,113	8,813	6,828
October ... ..	3,817	4,113	5,206	4,554	4,366	4,659	4,344	3,835
November ... ..	3,533	4,134	5,545	4,665	5,243	5,501	4,602	4,769
December ... ..	3,461	3,808	5,107	4,031	4,794	6,331	4,700	3,950
Six months ... ..	21,619	24,210	31,043	27,750	21,659	23,604	22,459	19,382
January ... ..	4,153	4,293	5,022	4,465	3,838	3,982	2,509	2,761
February ... ..	3,253	3,347	4,861	4,380	5,170	6,408	3,641	3,352
March ... ..	3,799	4,286	5,289	5,053	5,253	5,459	4,332	3,574
Nine months ... ..	32,824	36,136	46,215	41,648	35,920	39,453	32,941	29,069
April ... ..	3,394	4,346	4,790	3,774	2,123	5,158	4,137	2,362
May ... ..	3,816	3,727	5,456	4,782	2,373	4,282	3,005	3,392
June ... ..	3,474	4,904	5,215	4,827	2,127	2,889	2,510	2,793
Twelve months ... ..	43,508	49,173	61,676	55,031	42,543	51,782	42,593	37,616
Bullion and Specie (ex- cluded above) ... ..	1,870	2,125	2,279	3,010	4,989	5,521	5,819	8,216

*British Currency Values.*

	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.	£Stg. 000.
July ... ..	2,792	3,458	3,933	3,787	1,593	1,388	2,012	1,664
August ... ..	3,029	3,212	4,001	4,133	1,669	1,495	1,861	1,524
September ... ..	2,808	3,035	4,190	3,657	2,532	2,796	3,163	2,264
Three months ... ..	8,629	9,705	12,124	11,577	5,794	5,679	7,036	5,452
October ... ..	3,047	3,284	4,156	3,636	3,485	3,720	3,468	3,062
November ... ..	2,820	3,301	4,428	3,724	4,186	4,392	3,674	3,807
December ... ..	2,764	3,040	4,077	3,219	3,827	5,055	3,753	3,154
Six months ... ..	17,260	19,330	24,785	22,156	17,292	18,846	17,931	15,475
January ... ..	3,316	3,427	4,009	3,565	3,064	3,179	2,003	2,204
February ... ..	2,598	2,672	3,881	3,497	4,128	5,116	2,908	2,676
March ... ..	3,033	3,422	4,223	4,034	4,194	4,359	3,458	2,853
Nine months ... ..	26,207	28,851	36,898	33,252	28,678	31,500	26,300	23,298
April ... ..	2,710	3,470	3,825	3,013	1,695	4,118	3,303	1,886
May ... ..	3,047	2,976	4,356	3,818	1,895	3,419	2,399	2,708
June ... ..	2,773	3,963	4,164	3,854	1,698	2,306	2,004	2,231
Twelve months ... ..	34,737	39,260	49,243	43,937	33,966	41,343	34,006	30,033
Bullion and Specie (ex- cluded above) ... ..	1,493	1,696	1,820	2,403	3,992	4,416	4,655	6,573

The monthly figures are subject to revision.

## No. 12.—Principal Items Imported Oversea Direct into New South Wales.

Article Imported.	Year ended 30th June.				Quarter ended 30th June.			
	1938.		1939.		1938.		1939.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£ stg.		£ stg.		£ stg.		£ stg.
Fish ... ..	...	648,136	...	642,918	...	103,723	...	161,794
Cocoa, Cocoa Beans, etc. ... ..	...	213,311	...	156,652	...	52,520	...	48,291
Coffee and Chicory ... .. lb.	2,618,753	56,791	2,274,146	49,463	1,152,135	24,671	874,526	18,815
Tea ... .. 1,000 lb.	27,730	1,503,601	25,646	1,312,075	6,647	358,424	5,609	284,229
Whisky ... .. gal.	393,950	416,270	374,470	390,774	102,942	100,147	107,432	106,780
Other Spirituous Liquors ... ..	...	84,400	...	89,752	...	19,661	...	29,695
Tobacco—								
Unmanufactured... 1,000 lb.	15,560	1,357,716	14,446	1,193,827	3,696	309,329	4,800	348,118
Other (including Cigarettes, etc.) ... .. lb.	747,179	89,580	720,397	77,975	200,716	22,954	155,199	17,013
Hides and Skins ... ..	...	282,973	...	297,759	...	70,902	...	66,772
Copra ... .. cwt.	378,247	210,935	476,241	172,561	104,694	42,626	108,692	42,617
Gums and Resins ... ..	...	257,160	...	202,112	...	67,968	...	55,838
Apparel and Attire—								
Socks and Stockings ... ..	...	23,183	...	21,180	...	4,054	...	2,434
Boots and Shoes ... ..	...	77,832	...	88,632	...	17,152	...	17,566
Gloves ... ..	...	138,238	...	126,391	...	23,384	...	18,474
Hats and Caps ... ..	...	98,741	...	86,995	...	26,988	...	21,864
Trimmings and Ornaments ... ..	...	156,705	...	147,048	...	40,494	...	38,508
Other ... ..	...	373,789	...	253,368	...	61,238	...	51,765
Textiles—								
Floor Coverings ... ..	...	705,667	...	629,478	...	154,140	...	153,707
Piece Goods—								
Canvas and Duck ... ..	...	309,989	...	238,172	...	82,522	...	59,884
Cotton and Linen ... ..	...	2,370,698	...	1,991,366	...	557,381	...	512,127
Linen, n.e.i. ... ..	...	88,022	...	73,220	...	17,912	...	19,625
Hessians, etc. ... ..	...	220,552	...	197,856	...	58,164	...	57,366
Silk and Art. Silk ... ..	...	1,437,034	...	1,123,557	...	303,377	...	297,198
Velvet ... ..	...	116,607	...	97,092	...	21,354	...	21,768
Woollen ... ..	...	153,570	...	132,142	...	23,560	...	26,685
Other ... ..	...	437,068	...	366,748	...	101,249	...	90,051
Sewing Cottons, Threads, etc. ... ..	...	191,383	...	191,439	...	52,875	...	36,843
Towel and Towelling ... ..	...	183,680	...	154,634	...	39,063	...	36,790
Other Textile Goods ... ..	...	388,005	...	344,878	...	83,515	...	76,124
Bags and Sacks—								
Corn and Flour ... .. doz.	1,255,671	310,594	1,495,506	395,020	333,175	82,763	436,864	124,345
Woolpacks ... ..	157,705	149,683	190,974	201,040	54,234	38,672	54,698	76,599
Other ... ..	...	56,372	...	48,954	...	18,213	...	13,098
Yarns—								
Cotton ... ..	...	154,477	...	140,748	...	36,210	...	26,954
Artificial Silk ... ..	...	357,086	...	262,204	...	116,019	...	89,950
Other ... ..	...	42,506	...	55,080	...	11,726	...	17,468
Oils—								
Kerosene ... .. 1,000 gals.	18,072	243,640	16,266	197,113	5,417	68,263	5,046	58,210
Petroleum—								
Crude ... .. 1,000 gal.	31,645	313,023	21,779	183,222	5,006	40,933	4,649	36,773
Spirit (including Petrol) ... ..	108,495	1,804,400	116,957	1,777,102	26,757	410,948	26,892	427,088
Lubricating (Mineral) ... ..	7,087	367,719	5,704	286,568	1,671	84,406	1,465	77,568
Residual ... ..	32,870	213,866	27,699	177,501	9,369	69,055	7,472	46,877
Paints and Varnishes ... ..	...	350,122	...	367,134	...	70,107	...	102,947
Machinery—								
Electrical ... ..	...	2,648,733	...	2,728,275	...	670,991	...	627,248
Agricultural, etc. ... ..	...	101,424	...	130,579	...	22,887	...	17,555
Motive Power ... ..	...	1,207,780	...	915,481	...	261,323	...	167,244
Sheep Shearing ... ..	...	63,038	...	23,222	...	21,434	...	5,846
Sewing ... ..	...	228,547	...	199,337	...	60,327	...	45,296
Typewriters, Cash Registers, etc. ... ..	...	478,958	...	372,867	...	112,755	...	87,598
Yarn and Textile Making ... ..	...	9,506	...	126,300	...	39,811	...	39,992
Other ... ..	...	2,138,934	...	2,233,817	...	515,022	...	552,360

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No. 12.—Principal Items Imported Oversea Direct into New South Wales—*contd.*

Article Imported.	Year ended 30th June.				Quarter ended 30th June.			
	1938.		1939.		1938.		1939.	
	Quantity	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£ stg.		£ stg.		£ stg.		£ stg.
Metals and Metal Manufactures—								
Iron and Steel—								
Plate and Sheet ... ..	...	1,566,809	...	918,093	...	545,639	...	180,710
Other ... ..	...	678,450	...	361,723	...	145,609	...	132,098
Pipes and Tubes ... ..	...	281,040	...	234,444	...	77,197	...	40,832
Plated Ware and Cutlery ... ..	...	281,591	...	232,205	...	62,950	...	66,231
Tools of Trade ... ..	...	451,304	...	321,540	...	97,625	...	60,505
Vehicles—								
Motor Bodies ... ..	...	64,429	...	45,560	...	19,528	...	10,745
Motor Chassis ... ..	...	2,804,346	...	2,401,657	...	695,828	...	586,527
Other and Parts ... ..	...	828,870	...	669,036	...	164,626	...	171,217
Other ... ..	...	1,653,063	...	1,481,142	...	382,181	...	346,942
Rubber—								
Crude ... .. cwt.	162,954	658,631	147,562	539,679	36,236	101,518	34,058	135,048
Manufactures ... ..	...	185,256	...	186,473	...	44,254	...	51,972
Timber—								
Logs, etc. ... .. 1,000 sup. ft.	136,262	485,675	129,548	468,853	11,205	44,553	26,815	85,181
Undressed, Other ... ..	73,251	436,691	69,575	372,092	8,439	60,123	14,899	77,728
Crockery and Household Ware ... ..	...	256,799	...	226,906	...	62,350	...	49,689
Glass and Glassware ... ..	...	386,459	...	324,352	...	101,261	...	67,015
Paper—								
Writing, etc. ... .. cwt.	178,253	309,291	133,408	219,050	27,312	52,295	37,948	62,914
Printing ... .. tons	85,042	1,181,487	87,108	1,151,786	25,358	327,179	17,963	266,629
Other ... ..	...	761,937	...	484,677	...	150,694	...	128,751
Books, Printed ... ..	...	454,647	...	443,599	...	107,431	...	95,462
Stationery and Paper Manufactures ... ..	...	458,057	...	389,183	...	82,225	...	76,313
Fancy Goods ... ..	...	290,395	...	294,160	...	67,730	...	46,183
Jewellery and Timepieces ... ..	...	489,771	...	416,306	...	134,946	...	74,977
Cinematograph Films ... ..	...	473,947	...	460,178	...	114,712	...	110,816
Drugs, Chemicals, etc.—								
Argol ... .. cwt.	101,937	213,775	81,843	202,516	23,906	56,084	13,116	27,207
Drugs and Medicines ... ..	...	354,097	...	371,429	...	78,026	...	93,194
Dyes ... .. lb.	1,012,670	116,029	923,345	131,102	225,718	28,367	291,660	41,801
Fertilizers ... .. cwt.	2,300,682	140,785	2,161,356	135,429	439,688	26,097	482,979	27,697
Other ... ..	...	1,178,640	...	1,208,478	...	310,803	...	333,567
All Other Articles ... ..	...	7,882,305	...	7,614,284	...	2,618,567	...	1,876,589
Total Merchandise... .. £ stg.	...	49,242,620	...	43,936,750	...	12,344,670	...	10,685,039
Bullion and Specie (excluded above)—								
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet, and Matte ... .. oz.	256,332	1,784,318	320,388	2,346,980	78,631	547,836	68,625	509,476
Silver—Bar, Ingot, Sheet and Matte ... .. oz.	180,425	18,161	191,060	19,174	41,200	3,989	44,853	4,751
Specie—Gold ... ..	...	1,070	...	21	...	248	...	...
Silver ... ..	...	15,373	...	37,052	...	7,987	...	300
Bronze ... ..	...	222	...	31	...	51	...	31
Total, Bullion and Specie, £ stg.	...	1,819,744	...	2,403,258	...	560,111	...	514,558

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## No. 13.—Principal Items Exported Oversea Direct from New South Wales.

Article Exported.	Year ended 30th June.				Quarter ended 30th June.			
	1938.		1939.		1938.		1939.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£ A.		£ A.		£ A.		£ A.
Butter ... .. 1,000 lb.	31,374	1,895,222	23,966	1,349,815	5,406	338,569	7,087	398,593
Cheese ... .. lb.	983,422	42,321	182,024	7,211	411,302	20,221	26,183	1,181
Eggs in Shell ... .. 1,000 doz.	4,382	268,258	3,425	205,759	11	1,078	14	1,364
Milk and Cream and Milk Foods ... ..	...	196,852	...	247,897	...	53,809	...	75,684
Biscuits ... .. lb.	2,024,069	61,356	1,143,238	46,536	258,742	9,448	249,686	8,270
Wheat ... .. cntl.	9,789,249	3,608,247	9,018,278	2,040,965	5,220,397	1,819,201	3,885,357	865,658
Flour, Wheaten ... ..	4,031,825	1,968,625	5,865,655	1,853,294	1,138,153	494,048	2,191,128	940,598
Pran, Pollard and Sharps ... ..	350,513	129,727	908,222	243,944	130,062	41,342	464,391	113,861
Rice ... ..	257,313	194,860	230,558	146,224	45,789	33,922	39,236	22,860
Fruit—								
Fresh—								
Apples ... .. cntl.	53,763	58,987	17,925	21,773	17,348	19,179	7,250	8,088
Citrus ... ..	111,966	107,564	120,259	91,788	33,422	25,649	22,584	17,466
Other ... ..	35,149	41,337	34,102	33,692	10,819	12,061	7,319	8,326
Peaches, Preserved in Liquid ... .. 1,000 lb.	8,200	134,116	7,487	114,515	3,619	59,434	3,494	54,000
Other, Dried, Preserved, etc. ... ..	...	213,461	...	201,960	...	66,678	...	81,092
Oil Cake (including Linseed Cake) ... .. cntl.	13,843	5,598	19,965	8,717	3,880	2,035	5,320	2,617
Meats—								
Beef, Frozen and Chilled 1,000 lb.	18,076	293,112	11,845	205,872	5,574	92,676	2,565	43,645
Lamb, Frozen ... ..	39,233	1,087,717	34,109	932,613	10,614	290,063	3,780	101,224
Mutton, Frozen ... ..	22,851	382,678	10,881	172,549	8,828	146,653	1,742	26,867
Other, Frozen ... ..	7,007	166,648	5,810	139,890	2,192	58,204	1,429	36,146
Tinned and Preserved ... ..	...	154,899	...	91,109	...	27,983	...	21,401
Other (including Sausage casings) ... ..	...	153,933	...	126,990	...	34,405	...	16,737
Rabbits and Hares ... pair	224,027	19,362	324,362	27,532	37,062	2,908	65,397	4,983
Wool—								
Greasy ... .. { bale 1,000,000	16,972,441	1,071,408	15,108,846	213,113	3,049,376	170,613	2,249,465	
Scoured ... .. { 1,000 lb. 78,788	1,667,908	96,991	1,636,597	61,755	283,134	51,072	374,280	
Other ... .. { 1,000 lb. 18,556	477,081	22,666	585,323	17,219	118,308	22,808	133,628	
Hides and Skins—								
Rabbit and Hare ... .. 1,000 lb.	2,733	647,611	1,662	197,707	222	35,180	386	29,536
Sheep, with Wool ... .. No.	3,615,945	965,110	2,979,009	582,533	1,084,230	197,778	424,620	76,277
Cattle ... ..	554,352	562,658	720,770	535,218	159,307	110,553	170,065	137,133
Other ... ..	...	293,973	...	269,891	...	32,386	...	21,367
Leather ... ..	...	393,692	...	331,924	...	82,104	...	93,487
Gelatine and Glue ... ..	...	86,243	...	91,245	...	27,103	...	20,591
Tallow ... .. cwt.	160,681	196,150	170,409	161,136	28,245	28,065	40,216	34,794
Coal ... .. ton	392,013	354,047	372,548	339,805	86,330	78,788	87,411	83,452
Copper and Copper Manufactures ... ..	...	16,486	...	14,473	...	3,436	...	4,070
Lead, Pig ... .. cwt.	1,342,724	1,514,858	1,287,545	1,304,521	295,326	310,575	369,337	373,798
Tin, Ingots ... ..	14,640	187,198	29,058	367,567	6,031	63,810	5,737	78,209
Iron and Steel ... ..	...	951,573	...	2,028,937	...	232,755	...	879,342
Timber, Undressed ... 1,000 sup. ft.	28,328	420,263	27,437	385,869	5,853	86,828	7,355	99,322
All other Articles ... ..	...	5,700,687	...	5,363,560	...	1,262,039	...	1,307,743
Total Merchandise ... £ A	...	42,592,859	...	37,615,797	...	9,651,784	...	8,547,155
Bullion and Specie (excluded above)—								
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet and Matte ... .. oz.	661,724	5,719,929	888,744	8,050,204	133,720	1,156,530	330,496	3,028,299
Silver—Bar, Ingot, Sheet and Matte ... .. oz.	188,326	18,760	235,749	23,970	44,382	4,117	73,570	7,997
Specie—Gold ... ..	...	46,753	...	103,525	...	...	...	...
Silver ... ..	...	32,715	...	38,360	...	2,575	...	741
Bronze ... ..	...	485	...	30	...	...	...	18
Total, Bullion and Specie £ A	...	5,818,642	...	8,216,089	...	1,163,222	...	3,037,055

NOTE.—The foregoing table is a preliminary summary of principal items only. Detailed records are published annually in the "Statistical Register of New South Wales." Value represents the value in the principal markets of New South Wales and is in Australian currency.

**No. 14.—Principal Articles Shipped at Sydney to and from Australian Ports.***(Compiled from Returns supplied by the Maritime Services Board of New South Wales.)***(excluding Transhipments.)**

Article Imported.	Unit.	Year ended 30th June, 1938.		Nine months ended 31st March, 1939.		Quarter ended 31st March, 1939.	
		Interstate.	State.	Interstate.	State.	Interstate.	State.
Ale, Beer and Stout ... ..	40 cub. ft.	9,460	21	6,788	8	2,101	1
Bacon and Ham ... ..	tons	3,177	3,450	2,733	2,225	785	879
Boots, Shoes, etc. ... ..	40 cub. ft.	4,221	74	3,398	33	966	18
Butter ... ..	tons	3,022	24,912	2,214	16,216	980	6,689
Cement and Plaster ... ..	tons	29,249	629	22,134	223	5,724	37
Chaff ... ..	tons	7,385	4	5,142	11	...	...
Cheese ... ..	tons	1,531	2,453	1,226	1,618	397	735
Coal (Cargo) ... ..	tons	42	1,049,073	150	716,031	10	254,635
" (Bunker) ... ..	tons	...	211,168	290	166,246	...	57,015
Confectionery ... ..	40 cub. ft.	9,344	118	7,074	93	2,291	44
Drapery ... ..	40 cub. ft.	26,468	1,018	19,168	963	6,148	342
Eggs (in Shell) ... ..	doz.	1,084,950	323,568	520,140	295,488	303,210	41,904
Egg Pulp ... ..	40 cub. ft.	852	...	662	...	166	...
Fish—Fresh and Frozen ... ..	tons	135	5,283	77	3,872	15	1,308
Oysters ... ..	bags	36	17,808	12	13,572	...	3,564
Flour ... ..	tons (2,240lb.)	2,095	25	1,805	14	586	1
Grain—Maize ... ..	tons	5,312	3,100	2,629	1,350	1,183	485
" Oats ... ..	tons	10,869	8	2,178	2	126	2
" Wheat ... ..	tons	64	...	33	...	10	...
Hay ... ..	tons	562	1,770	416	648	51	173
Hides and Skins ... ..	40 cub. ft.	10,492	3,595	10,937	2,456	2,640	718
Iron—Galvanised ... ..	tons	41	4	33	9	17	...
" Pig ... ..	tons	...	1,797	1	131	...	17
Jams and Jellies ... ..	tons	3,117	2	2,272	2	935	1
Matches (including Materials) ... ..	40 cub. ft.	703	...	444	...	111	...
Milk and Cream, preserved ... ..	40 cub. ft.	10,883	1,863	8,693	1,516	2,793	614
Molasses and Syrup ... ..	tons	31,282	7,970	19,333	5,502	1,931	2,296
Onions ... ..	tons	9,788	22	5,160	8	1,231	...
Potatoes ... ..	tons	66,850	2,573	40,478	2,589	15,795	18
Soap ... ..	tons	4,917	5	4,067	...	1,520	...
Spirits—Brandy ... ..	40 cub. ft.	633	...	565	...	155	...
" Gin ... ..	40 cub. ft.	1,738	...	1,153	...	290	...
" Rum ... ..	40 cub. ft.	1,052	...	492	...	163	...
" Whisky ... ..	40 cub. ft.	654	...	516	...	130	...
Sugar ... ..	tons	103,912	46,337	97,566	41,663	3,255	969
Tea ... ..	40 cub. ft.	279	2	225	5	94	2
Tobacco, Cigars, etc. ... ..	40 cub. ft.	7,837	7	5,898	3	1,266	3
Wines ... ..	40 cub. ft.	5,860	30	4,661	32	1,044	5
Animals—Horses ... ..	No.	245	63	164	34	85	13
" Horned Cattle ... ..	No.	32	702	19	343	12	87
" Calves ... ..	No.	1	170	...	122	...	25
" Sheep ... ..	No.	848	12	38	...	24	...
" Pigs ... ..	No.	21	22,154	2	15,651	...	6,325
Bananas ... ..	Cases = 1½ bus. or 84 lb.	13,039	66,693	4,655	49,210	1,260	13,107
Fruit, Fresh ... ..	cases	1,557,755	4,423	764,241	4,646	200,925	2,135
Timber—Rough and Sawn ... ..	super. ft.	28,701,219	31,594,847	18,524,050	24,858,596	5,416,203	7,314,013
Wool ... ..	bales	47,966	11,859	41,690	8,392	14,753	1,948
<b>ARTICLE EXPORTED.</b>							
Bran, Pollard and Sharps ... ..	tons	1,260	1,142	1,239	1,069	255	397
Butter ... ..	tons	223	1	193	...	134	...
Cement ... ..	tons	21,502	4,198	14,063	4,773	4,060	1,907
Coal (Cargo) ... ..	tons	468	133	265	20	203	6
" (Bunker) ... ..	tons	50,883	68,395	36,736	48,066	11,995	15,011
Coke ... ..	tons	9,442	492	2,958	304	737	88
Eggs (in Shell) ... ..	doz.	6,028	432	1,296	...	...	...
Fertiliser ... ..	tons	1,750	315	1,509	235	147	58
Flour ... ..	tons (2,240lb.)	7,054	2,289	4,745	1,941	1,357	592
Grain—Wheat ... ..	tons	10,045	190	3,669	136	1,568	53
Hides ... ..	40 cub. ft.	2,508	74	1,206	18	550	...
Margarine ... ..	40 cub. ft.	5,531	478	4,471	331	1,328	98
Meat—Frozen ... ..	tons	248	5	458	4	71	2
" Preserved ... ..	40 cub. ft.	696	50	570	13	208	9
Oil Cake ... ..	40 cub. ft.	1,444	20	880	15	247	8
Skins—Furred ... ..	40 cub. ft.	64	...	15	...	...	...
" Sheep ... ..	40 cub. ft.	51	...	28	...	...	...
Tallow ... ..	40 cub. ft.	71	...	167	1	1	...
Tin—Ingots ... ..	tons	944	78	646	94	224	29
Animals—Horses ... ..	No.	441	26	138	7	58	1
" Horned Cattle ... ..	No.	63	16	42	5	25	...
" Calves ... ..	No.	7	1	...	...	...	...
" Sheep ... ..	No.	691	1,996	334	1,009	45	346
" Pigs ... ..	No.	4	11	4	8	...	...
Timber—Rough and Sawn ... ..	sup. ft.	2,107,444	2,750,599	1,428,294	1,572,828	325,067	411,430
Wool ... ..	bales	22,118	...	14,164	31	4,157	...

(Tons in all instances = 2,240 lb. Forty cubic feet = 1 measurement ton.)

## No. 15.—Shipping Entered—Port of Sydney.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by the Maritime Services Board of New South Wales).

Year ended 30th June.		Number of Vessels.				Net Tonnage.			
		Steam Coal Burners.	Steam Oil Burners.	Motor.	Sailing.	Steam Coal Burners.	Steam Oil Burners.	Motor.	Sailing.
1937 ... ..	Oversea ...	622	314	463	3	2,277,621	2,424,892	2,118,834	226
	Interstate ...	978	110	178	1	1,316,902	281,940	778,260	12
	State ...	4,257	...	369	...	1,531,491	...	63,217	...
	Total ...	5,857	424	1,010	4	5,326,014	2,706,832	2,960,311	238
1938 ... ..	Oversea ...	646	301	507	6	2,383,441	2,566,143	2,249,321	108
	Interstate ...	976	104	240	1	1,578,426	274,912	901,010	3
	State ...	4,502	...	472	...	1,612,290	...	87,473	...
	Total ...	6,124	405	1,219	7	5,574,157	2,841,055	3,237,804	111
1939 ... ..	Oversea ...	632	295	564	4	2,266,197	2,544,581	2,528,462	47
	Interstate ...	925	104	292	...	1,518,024	272,932	983,218	...
	State ...	4,101	...	467	...	1,431,348	...	105,508	...
	Total ...	5,658	399	1,323	4	5,215,569	2,817,513	3,617,188	47

NOTE.—The figures for the arrivals of Oversea and Interstate vessels include those for vessels which returned to Sydney from Newcastle after proceeding there for bunker coal.

## No. 16.—Shipping—Oversea and Interstate.—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at all Ports of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Tonnage of Cargo Discharged.						Tonnage of Cargo Shipped.					
	Overseas.		Interstate.		Total.		Overseas.		Interstate.		Total.	
	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M
Sydney—												
	Thousand tons.											
1932 ... ..	545	458	376	327	921	785	1,311	239	102	393	1,413	632
1933 ... ..	650	567	406	364	1,056	931	1,385	265	132	416	1,517	681
1934 ... ..	657	708	406	459	1,063	1,167	798	261	132	488	930	749
1935 ... ..	726	884	443	507	1,169	1,391	1,089	309	182	529	1,271	838
1936 ... ..	841	972	479	599	1,320	1,571	1,166	284	191	595	1,357	879
1937 ... ..	883	1,028	515	613	1,398	1,641	1,082	314	201	655	1,283	969
1938 ... ..	1,082	1,135	618	672	1,700	1,807	954	313	214	695	1,168	1,008
Total, N.S.W.—												
1932 ... ..	602	458	775	328	1,377	786	1,670	243	1,575	394	3,245	637
1933 ... ..	760	567	1,171	364	1,931	931	1,686	271	1,878	418	3,564	689
1934 ... ..	772	713	1,400	467	2,172	1,180	1,114	270	1,970	492	3,084	762
1935 ... ..	859	912	2,030	523	2,889	1,435	1,477	341	2,225	542	3,702	883
1936 ... ..	985	999	2,053	611	3,038	1,610	1,532	303	2,390	607	3,922	910
1937 ... ..	1,069	1,061	2,459	629	3,528	1,690	1,520	339	2,733	674	4,253	1,013
1938 ... ..	1,336	1,160	2,823	687	4,159	1,847	1,500	343	2,968	711	4,468	1,054

W — Cargo recorded as dead weight tons. M — Measurement tons. Forty cubic feet = 1 measurement ton.

NOTE.—The total is a combination of weight and measurement tons, but these cannot be expressed in common terms.

## No. 17.—State Railways of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic at end of period.	Capital Cost as at end of period.	Total Earnings.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.*	Train Miles.	Excess of Earnings per train mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1928	5,867	117,984,374	19,029,512	4,273,185	26,896,580	3 2	148,046,881
1929	5,940	124,329,422	19,615,616	4,637,566	27,382,124	3 4½	151,116,086
1930	5,974	126,318,236	17,826,692	2,864,269	26,713,951	2 1½	147,892,548
1931	6,044	132,565,362	15,205,741	2,363,468	25,493,640	1 10½	126,811,994
1932	6,125	139,667,319	15,001,022	2,490,993	25,848,580	1 11½	128,359,419
1933	6,164	140,796,968	15,405,320	3,438,672	25,562,220	2 8½	132,867,221
1934	6,164	140,933,321	14,890,186	3,686,666	25,173,199	2 11½	142,520,429
1935	6,164	141,726,912	16,002,699	4,437,041	26,275,459	3 4½	160,211,508
1936	6,124	143,843,672	16,953,581	5,105,511	27,701,005	3 8½	171,142,729
1937	6,124	145,257,282	17,816,496	5,461,174	28,547,207	3 10	177,837,265
1938	6,114	146,808,073	19,486,116	5,726,128	30,202,952	3 9½	189,349,298
1939†	6,114	.....	19,146,441	4,603,461	28,084,120	3 3½	186,719,964
Quarter ended 30th June, 1939.	6,114		4,921,742	858,227	7,541,630	2 3½	45,546,556
Quarter ended 30th June, 1938.	6,114		4,834,478	819,126	7,703,013	2 1½	48,988,854

\* Interest on loan capital, Exchange and in 1938 part of sinking fund are not included as working expenses.

† Preliminary; subject to revision.



## No. 18.—State Tramways of New South Wales. §

Year ended 30th June.	Miles used for Traffic at end of period.	Capital Cost as at end of period.†	Total Earnings.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.*	Car Mileage.	Excess of Earnings per car mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1928	210	11,609,078	4,556,561	619,205	34,471,601	0 4½	346,013,775
1929	211	11,743,189	4,457,890	622,246	34,081,498	0 4½	333,476,049
1930	211	11,764,978	3,903,470	277,906	32,862,832	0 2	307,789,621
1931	200	8,435,810	3,058,471	(- ) 47,751	32,193,040	(-) 0 ½	266,346,801
1932	193	8,336,200	3,305,222	258,690	35,914,272	0 1½	284,708,886
1933	193	8,357,582	3,266,847	485,976	36,860,522	0 3½	287,386,142
1934	190	8,565,978	3,237,942	704,604	36,375,517	0 4½	286,953,234
1935	190	9,093,293	3,321,774	712,827	35,996,418	0 4½	297,773,090
1936	189	9,005,789	3,388,580	703,028	35,378,336	0 4½	303,767,139
1937	189	9,046,640	3,423,205	713,779	35,200,152	0 4½	306,833,404
1938	190	9,138,905	3,529,368	584,576	35,791,804	0 4	317,073,125
1939††	188	...	3,448,792	500,461	34,940,809	0 3½	310,784,209
Quarter ended 30th June, 1939	188	...	862,758	138,022	8,621,883	0 3½	78,088,808
Quarter ended 30th June, 1938	190	...	882,872	105,452	8,853,455	0 2½	79,858,174

\* Sinking fund, interest on loan capital, exchange and depreciation are not included as working expenses.

† Subject to review in 1931 and later years.

(-) Denotes excess of working expenses over earnings.

‡ Exclusive of Sydney Harbour Bridge passengers, whose journey did not extend beyond the Bridge section.

§ Including particulars of the operations of electric trolley buses, which commenced in January, 1934.

†† Preliminary; subject to revision.

## No. 19.—Motor Omnibus Services (Metropolitan and Newcastle Transport Districts).

(Principally Omnibus Services Operated by Government).

Year ended 30th June.	Value of Omnibuses, Plant and Equipment (end of year).	Total Revenue.	Total Expenditure (including Interest and Depreciation).	Excess of Revenue over Expenditure.	Omnibus Mileage.	Passengers Carried.
	£	£	£	£	No.	No.
1931 ... ..	503,245	1,497,615	1,492,563	5,052	22,661,639	100,373,207
1932* ... ..	247,431	666,096	718,206	(-) 52,110	12,142,735	45,765,794
1933 ... ..	236,489	468,429	490,663	(-) 22,234	10,287,080	34,209,724
1934 ... ..	205,555	589,763	579,083	10,680	12,337,814	41,747,176
1935 ... ..	216,413	661,100	642,294	18,806	13,293,231	47,973,316
1936 ... ..	284,502	762,899	722,024	40,875	14,645,269	54,552,992
1937 ... ..	391,568	892,272	845,296	46,976	16,381,041	63,464,201
1938 ... ..	570,990	1,121,586	1,103,451	18,135	18,042,673	80,478,359
Nine months ended 31st Mar., 1939		989,886	958,265	31,521	15,826,213	70,017,042
do do do 1938		825,355	819,288	6,067	13,173,120	56,508,307
Quarter ended 31st Mar., 1939 ...		380,054	312,882	17,162	5,206,564	22,502,662

(-) Denotes excess of expenditure over revenue.

\* Exclusive of September Quarter, 1931, for the Newcastle Transport District—particulars are not available.

## No. 20.—Motor Vehicles on Register in New South Wales.†

At—	Cars.	Lorries and Vans. §	Cycles.	Omnibuses.	Cabs.	Traders' Plates.	Total on Register.	Increase during Quarter preceding date shown.	
								Cars.	Lorries and Vans.
1930—June 30*	169,495	45,309	29,410	640	1,340	2,065	248,259	(-) 1,997	(-) 334
1932—June 30*	143,970	38,618	22,741	362	1,070	417	207,178	(-) 779	(-) 80
1933—June 30	148,127	43,361	22,653	415	1,066	435	216,057	11	693
1934—June 30	155,063	48,601	22,571	456	1,051	582	228,324	899	1,142
1935—June 30...	164,483	54,919	22,777	503	1,055	691	244,428	1,367	1,218
1936—June 30	177,289	62,149	23,048	528	1,113	851	264,978	2,393	1,682
1937—June 30...	189,794	70,341	23,439	594	1,169	1,005	286,342	3,147	1,874
1938—March 31	201,791	77,287	24,072	721	1,198	1,085	306,754	2,866	1,146
June 30...	204,588	78,044	24,032	712	1,214	1,118	310,608	2,797	1,657
September 30	206,859	80,685	24,047	716	1,240	1,147	314,694	2,271	1,741
December 31	212,002	83,425	24,353	733	1,260	1,167	322,940	5,143	2,740
1939—March 31	213,970	83,483	24,264	741	1,283	1,124	324,865	1,968	58
April 30	214,711	83,713	24,265	752	1,296	1,122	325,859	} 2,080	} 692
May 31	215,526	83,982	24,226	764	1,306	1,151	326,955		
June 30	216,050	84,175	24,151	777	1,313	1,164	327,630		

\* Excluding Government vehicles.

† Including Government vehicles from 31st July, 1932, when there were 1,680 Government vehicles (except omnibuses) registered. (-) Denotes a decrease.

§ Including trailers.

### No. 21.—New South Wales—Average Rainfall in Districts.—Principal Sheep Districts. (Principal Wheat Divisions are marked "A.")

Division of Hinterland.		Actual Rainfall during Month.						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall. (Normal=100).					
		1939.						1939.					
		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.
Tablelands—		ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.						
North ...	W ...	4'95	0'60	4'92	1'84	0'23	3'12	129	21	173	103	13	121
	E ...	3'72	0'99	12'26	5'91	1'29	1'50	68	21	243	211	61	64
Central ...	N A	1'25	0'47	2'93	3'76	1'18	1'94	52	24	134	202	64	78
	S A	3'32	0'92	4'08	3'91	1'18	1'85	92	30	144	137	46	58
Southern ...	... ...	1'95	1'57	4'31	3'65	0'87	2'14	78	86	201	220	44	94
Western Slopes—													
North ...	N A	3'33	0'60	3'20	1'63	0'21	2'57	101	23	129	102	12	120
	S A	2'70	0'28	4'42	2'30	0'45	1'50	95	12	192	135	28	66
Central ...	N A	2'19	0'43	4'47	4'51	0'95	1'66	86	20	209	242	52	71
	S A	1'38	1'54	2'13	3'24	0'56	1'80	66	103	115	190	32	76
South ...	N A	0'35	3'07	4'87	3'78	0'76	3'83	19	236	292	233	42	145
	S ...	0'19	4'95	7'14	5'32	1'55	5'84	10	319	335	259	59	148
Plains—													
North ...	W ...	3'27	0'46	5'10	2'16	0'90	1'44	135	22	274	179	63	78
	E A	3'13	0'16	4'87	2'37	1'30	1'97	119	7	225	163	78	95
Central ...	S A	0'62	3'91	2'88	2'30	0'50	1'57	36	337	201	158	35	79
	E A	1'72	2'10	4'68	2'42	0'65	1'65	93	135	294	156	47	93
Riverina ...	N A	0'16	3'65	5'57	4'98	0'75	3'02	13	335	442	402	45	134
	W A	0'07	3'06	3'41	4'25	1'27	2'40	7	360	344	483	91	141
Western Division—													
Eastern ...	N ...	2'04	2'03	3'62	2'07	0'86	1'65	130	138	290	225	82	130
	S ...	0'28	3'16	4'31	2'79	1'40	1'75	26	333	418	315	111	119
Western ...	N ...	0'87	1'97	2'19	1'96	1'27	1'21	104	266	267	384	181	128
	S ...	0'08	3'58	2'00	1'07	1'56	1'22	11	465	282	162	143	98

### Principal Dairying Districts.

Division of Coast.		Actual Rainfall during Month.						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall. (Normal=100).					
		1939.						1939.					
		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.
		ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.						
North ...	N ...	4'91	1'18	17'98	5'92	3'24	1'77	74	20	244	111	62	43
	S ...	6'31	0'17	19'21	4'75	2'42	1'22	101	3	268	74	46	29
Hunter and Manning.	N ...	6'02	0'05	14'35	4'77	2'40	0'70	131	1	274	91	47	18
	S ...	2'88	0'03	9'47	2'82	1'37	0'62	88	1	268	86	48	22
South ...	N ...	2'57	0'21	8'72	4'05	1'54	0'59	63	7	213	113	38	16
	S ...	4'07	1'21	6'68	5'91	1'51	0'99	111	38	187	202	44	29

NOTE.—The above tables are based upon the records of the Commonwealth Meteorologist. The divisions correspond approximately with the statistical divisions shown on the map in the frontispiece of the Official Year Book of New South Wales, each division being subdivided into two sectors indicated by the letters N, S, E, or W according as they constitute the northern, southern, eastern or western portion of the division concerned. Normal Rainfall is based on the period ended 1929.

### No. 22.—Rainfall Index—Weighted Average Ratio of Actual to Normal Rainfall (New South Wales).

Normal Rainfall each month=100.

Month. 1938.	Sheep Districts.					Wheat Districts.				Dairying Districts.			
	N	C	S	W	T	N	C	S	T	N	C	S	T
July ...	82	107	94	130	99	94	109	87	94	97	122	53	98
August ...	182	121	165	106	151	189	118	141	141	95	165	362	147
September ...	51	32	35	21	37	48	27	27	30	46	68	53	53
October ...	135	185	125	157	148	124	177	126	139	83	98	207	102
November ...	121	86	44	36	77	108	80	32	54	74	86	86	78
December ...	10	16	4	3	9	10	21	3	9	19	18	11	18
Year 1938	88	77	73	62	77	84	77	69	73	114	97	90	107
1939.													
January ...	110	73	27	83	69	102	63	14	38	81	114	92	91
February ...	17	114	259	255	149	12	139	298	221	16	1	26	13
March ...	200	192	325	312	251	191	164	359	287	250	272	197	248
April ...	140	172	319	206	214	137	186	348	280	102	89	166	107
May ...	40	46	52	110	53	37	42	53	48	58	47	42	53
June ...	92	78	131	121	104	81	74	140	115	40	20	23	32

N—Northern. S—Southern. C—Central. W—Western. T—Total, New South Wales.



## No. 23.—Area under Crop.

Season ended March.	Wheat (grain only).	Maize (grain only).	Oats (grain only).	Rice.	Sugar-cane Cut for Crushing.	Hay.	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	Total Area under Crop.*
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1928†	3,029,950	148,801	114,988	9,891	8,556	680,919	7,456	21,578	4,994,515
1929†	4,090,083	106,835	126,743	14,027	6,783	684,730	7,077	14,830	5,440,762
1930†	3,974,064	108,219	181,354	19,780	7,967	698,395	7,019	12,785	5,499,408
1931†	5,134,960	105,024	176,659	19,825	7,617	896,770	6,771	15,304	6,809,510
1932	3,682,945	106,047	151,600	19,574	8,272	612,150	6,735	17,522	5,107,049
1933	4,803,943	113,333	163,809	22,032	7,796	645,609	7,225	20,739	6,330,370
1934	4,584,092	117,231	203,693	20,221	10,015	724,538	7,097	20,089	6,281,477
1935	3,892,768	115,570	237,405	21,738	7,572	757,414	7,041	19,662	5,684,558
1936	3,851,373	119,849	279,622	21,705	10,416	658,810	7,382	22,743	5,730,315
1937	3,982,864	116,286	235,817	23,357	10,231	747,927	7,327	24,909	5,951,043
1938	4,464,664	125,049	255,144	23,737	10,716	759,562	7,442	21,372	6,464,624

## Production of Crops.

(In thousands, 000 omitted).

Season ended March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Rice.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Total value of Crops (to Producers)
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1928†	27,042	3,931	1,655	879	209	754	2,295	47	15,444
1929†	49,257	2,506	2,184	1,308	147	793	1,482	26	19,356
1930†	34,407	3,036	2,529	1,829	174	687	1,934	24	15,269
1931†	65,877	2,767	3,242	1,427	160	1,192	1,336	32	12,328
1932	54,966	2,670	2,526	1,350	179	811	1,590	34	14,547
1933	78,870	2,935	3,514	1,901	157	909	2,076	42	17,474
1934	57,057	3,134	3,178	2,172	231	920	1,813	44	14,302
1935	48,678	3,239	3,857	1,888	227	1,005	1,539	46	15,161
1936	48,822	3,325	4,736	2,164	280	837	2,568	63	16,796
1937	55,668	3,303	3,968	2,277	275	917	2,914	66	23,416
1938	55,104	3,403	3,395	2,269	362	825	2,690	51	20,430

## Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Season ended March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Rice.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Value per acre of all Crops.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1928†	8'9	26'4	14'4	88'9	24'38	1'11	2'19	3 1 10
1929†	12'0	23'5	17'2	93'2	21'73	1'16	1'78	3 11 1
1930†	8'7	28'1	13'9	92'5	21'85	0'99	1'87	2 15 6
1931†	12'8	26'3	18'4	72'0	21'03	1'32	2'11	1 16 2
1932	14'9	25'2	16'7	69'0	21'66	1'32	1'92	2 17 0
1933	16'4	25'9	21'5	86'3	20'12	1'41	2'04	2 15 2
1934	12'4	26'7	15'6	107'4	23'06	1'27	2'17	2 5 6
1935	12'5	28'0	16'2	86'9	30'03	1'33	2'34	2 13 4
1936	12'7	27'7	16'0	99'7	26'93	1'27	2'76	2 18 7
1937	14'0	28'4	16'8	97'5	26'90	1'23	2'66	3 18 8
1938	12'3	27'2	13'3	95'6	33'76	1'09	2'38	3 3 2
Average for 10 years (1929-1938) ...	12'9	26'7	16'5	90'2	25'10	1'24	2'25	2 17 0

\* Exclusive of area double cropped.

† Year ended 30th June.

Bananas 1937-38: Productive area, 11,965 acres; yield, 1,153,371 cases.

## No. 24.—Wheat Production, 1937-38 and 1938-39.

The wheat crop of 1937-38 was:—

	Area sown with Wheat.	Yield of Wheat and Hay.	Average yield per acre.
	Acres.		
For grain ... ..	4,464,664	55,104,000 bus.	12'3 bus. (wheat).
For hay ... ..	348,339	349,618 tons	1'00 tons (hay).
Fed off ... ..	28,491		
Total ... ..	4,841,494		

The area under wheat in 1938-39 as shown by returns of wheatgrowers in December, 1938, was 5,120,600 acres including 4,568,000 acres for grain and 540,000 acres for hay. The crop for grain in 1938-39 was estimated at 59,124,000 bushels.

## No. 25.—Live Stock.

At 31st March.	Horses.	Cattle.			Sheep.	Pigs.
		Cows in Registered Dairies	All other.	Total.		
1928*	598,377	918,106	1,930,548	2,848,654	50,510,000	301,819
1929*	567,371	941,390	1,843,225	2,784,615	50,185,000	311,605
1930*	534,945	959,494	1,726,638	2,686,132	48,720,000	323,499
1931*	524,512	1,006,129	1,834,344	2,840,473	53,366,000	334,331
1932	524,751	1,055,729	1,937,857	2,973,586	52,985,000	385,846
1933	528,943	1,124,006	2,017,168	3,141,174	53,698,000	388,273
1934	532,028	1,155,800	2,205,971	3,361,771	52,104,000	367,116
1935	534,853	1,173,763	2,309,068	3,482,831	53,327,000	397,535
1936	542,862	1,157,584	2,230,954	3,388,438	51,936,000	436,944
1937	545,829	1,128,228	2,159,941	3,288,169	53,166,000	300,780
1938	528,625	1,094,915	1,924,666	3,019,581	51,563,000	356,765

\* At 30th June.

## No. 26.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying—Principal Items.

Year ended 30th June.	Wool (as in the grease).	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Ham.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1928	443,860,000	101,595,358	7,284,622	25,479,208
1929	432,920,000	96,244,230	6,339,052	23,087,271
1930	459,970,000	105,022,384	6,345,785	21,616,472
1931	427,220,000	114,201,709	6,516,065	21,901,194
1932	501,648,000	123,847,198	6,590,357	20,468,259
1933	532,080,000	128,931,070	7,193,806	20,476,555
1934	484,390,000	148,868,448	9,072,508	21,091,587
1935	494,981,000	146,106,328	8,445,468	19,667,619
1936	472,585,000	125,169,296	7,356,203	22,057,458
1937	503,616,000	109,830,751	7,417,640	22,069,860
1938	495,027,000	120,882,732	8,004,873	21,374,691
1939	436,000,000†	119,000,000†	*	*

† Partly estimated; subject to revision.

\* Not available.

## No. 27.—Shearing—Quantity and Value of Wool Produced.

Season.	No. of Sheep and Lambs shorn.	Average weight of wool clip (greasy) Sheep and Lambs (including crutchings).	Weight of Wool Produced.			Value of Wool Produced. (On basis of average prices at Sydney Auctions).	
			Shorn Crutched and Dead.	Derived from or exported on Skins.	Total.		
	thousands.	lb.	thousand lb. greasy.			d. per lb.	£
1927-28	53,730	7.5	406,080	37,780	443,860	19.5	36,064,000
1928-29	50,300	8.8	446,090	36,830	482,920	16.5	33,206,000
1929-30	53,260	7.8	417,730	42,240	459,970	10.5	20,123,000
1930-31	43,840	7.9	385,690	41,530	427,220	8.7	15,486,000
1931-32	52,236	8.7	455,168	46,480	501,648	8.3	17,349,000
1932-33	55,612	8.6	479,162	52,918	532,080	8.5	18,845,000
1933-34	56,878	7.5	430,387	54,003	484,390	15.8	31,889,000
1934-35	54,884	8.1	447,738	47,243	494,981	9.7	19,827,000
1935-36	55,805	7.7	432,059	40,526	472,585	14.0	27,321,000
1936-37	55,485	8.3	461,073	42,543	503,616	16.4	34,106,000
1937-38	54,673	8.2	449,466	45,561	495,027	12.7	25,961,000
1938-39	†	†	†	†	†436,000	10.3	† 18,545,000

† Not yet available.

‡ Preliminary; subject to revision.

Statistics as to sheep in 1938, as compared with previous years are as follow:—

	Year ended 31st March.					
	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.	1938.
	thousands.					
Number of sheep at end of year	53,698	52,104	53,327	51,936	53,166	51,563
Lambs marked during year	14,221	10,737	12,996	11,338	14,331	13,045
Sheep slaughtered during year	7,519	7,164	6,810	6,037	6,416	6,850
Net export (interstate)	2,453	1,433	938	1,391	1,197	2,332
Number of deaths (approximate)	3,537	3,734	4,025	5,301	5,488	5,466

## No. 28.—Butter Produced in Factories, 1933-1939.

Month.	1933-1934.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37.	1937-38.	1938-39.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
July ...	5,929,099	5,687,843	4,575,332	4,989,910	4,160,531	4,437,310
August ...	6,305,839	6,340,417	4,852,917	5,569,294	4,842,403	4,886,849
September ...	8,102,099	8,828,191	6,767,998	6,841,174	7,028,733	6,914,512
October ...	13,046,158	14,558,132	10,802,466	9,206,170	9,315,527	10,841,743
November ...	15,606,610	15,927,214	12,970,335	8,335,671	13,339,644	12,589,181
December ...	17,605,529	16,856,017	13,354,692	7,916,825	15,167,677	11,422,753
January ...	18,293,298	17,488,770	14,410,997	13,263,076	14,592,124	9,707,480
February ...	14,950,372	15,171,880	13,203,505	11,880,839	14,019,559	10,825,779
March ...	15,479,653	15,228,584	13,324,046	13,363,187	12,411,306	12,137,044
April ...	12,064,304	11,318,081	11,140,278	10,373,036	9,087,574	11,880,129
May ...	9,135,412	7,786,326	7,809,073	7,415,243	6,693,189	10,456,068
June ...	6,689,971	4,966,667	5,911,698	4,820,478	5,272,025	7,741,886
Year ...	143,208,344	140,158,126	119,123,337	103,974,903	115,930,292	113,840,734

## No. 29.—Minerals Won in New South Wales, 1936-1938.

Minerals.	1936.		1937.		1938.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Coal ... ton	9,199,466	5,126,850	10,051,519	5,823,469	9,570,530	5,603,842
Gold ... oz. fine	60,739	525,792†	68,607	595,855†	88,698	780,958†
Silver—Ingots and Matte ... "	56,944	5,142	44,330	3,997	83,822	7,357
Silver—Lead, Ore, Concentrates, etc. ton	255,998	3,815,643	281,624	4,306,616	317,230	3,513,108
Zinc Concentrates ... "	220,767	198,460	219,838	657,967	265,296	230,989
Tin Ingots and Ore ... "	1,114	268,454	1,143	336,628	1,190	286,768
Copper, Ingots, Matte, and Ore ... "	1,373	53,687	3,627	72,406	1,963	87,905
Silica ... "	33,838	15,249	36,531	15,919	46,700	19,364
Manganese Ore ... "	72	243	107	322	218	740
Limestone Flux ... "	118,428	22,349	144,371	28,317	158,381	35,113
Opal (Noble) ... "	...	6,110	...	3,357	...	4,226
All other Minerals † ...	...	1,482,226	...	1,651,750	...	1,705,617
Total ... £	...	11,520,205	...	13,496,603	...	12,275,987
Other:—*						
Portland Cement ton	299,836	986,331	423,163	1,348,826	460,727	1,515,744
Lime ... "	32,187	70,439	33,039	75,648	27,936	54,349
Coke ... "	893,201	800,632	939,944	909,822	1,135,446	1,100,266

\* Quantity manufactured and value. † Includes output of quarries. ‡ Valued in Australian currency.

Nominal values on basis of £4 4s. 11d. per fine oz. were £258,001, £291,421 and £376,772 in 1936, 1937 and 1938 respectively.

Gold Production:—January-June 1938, 42,681 ozs. fine. January-June 1939, 42,471 ozs. fine.

## No. 30.—Factories, 1928-1938.

Year ended 30th June.	Establishments in operation during year. ††	Average No. of Persons Employed (including Working Proprietors), for whole year.			Salaries and Wages Paid, exclusive of drawings by Working Proprietors.	Total Value of Output.	Value of Production. †
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1928	8,362	134,341	43,357	177,698	37,818,141	181,403,084	71,804,514
1929	8,465	135,773	44,983	180,756	38,544,687	185,298,575	73,627,441
1930	8,208	122,005	40,908	162,913	34,875,995	167,250,618	66,847,610
1931	7,544	93,881	33,724	127,605	25,200,290	118,483,536	49,523,773
1932	7,397	90,667	35,688	126,355	22,751,013	114,439,507	46,653,481
1933	7,444	99,718	38,786	138,504	23,782,848	124,445,767	49,569,430
1934	7,818	111,599	42,400	153,999	25,748,547	136,611,971	54,042,154
1935	8,254	127,114	47,919	175,033	29,513,467	154,433,248	61,430,068
1936	8,486	140,896	52,304	193,200	33,314,534	174,693,761	69,469,955
1937	8,726	152,064	56,433	208,497	36,642,444	192,812,414	76,753,978
1938	9,097	164,391	60,470	224,861	*42,209,875	214,883,557	85,238,133

\*Of this amount males received £36,247,087 and females £5,962,788.

†† Returns under the Census Act relating to factories, workshops or mills in which four or more persons are employed or power is used.

† Represents value of output at factory (shown in preceding column) less value of materials and fuel used.



**No. 31.—Quantities of Certain Articles Manufactured in New South Wales during the years ended 30th June, 1929 and 1936 to 1938.**

Article Manufactured.		Quantity.			
		1929.	1936.	1937.	1938.
Aerated Waters, Cordials, etc.	gals.	6,980,373†	5,442,915	6,670,625	8,391,785
Ale, Beer, and Stout	gals.	29,420,920	24,355,495	26,916,376	31,630,132*
Bacon and Ham	lb.	22,340,106	21,155,669	20,208,024	20,795,580
Biscuits	"	43,289,522	37,785,753	42,138,719	43,262,602
Boots, Shoes and Slippers	pairs	5,123,148	7,131,735	7,635,033	7,857,672
Bricks—Building	No.	437,157,614	303,260,228	316,718,038	351,639,026
Butter	lb.	91,733,572	119,123,337	103,974,903	115,930,292
Cheese	"	6,203,409	7,060,100	7,145,170	7,701,411
Coke	tons.	1,003,626	1,173,898	1,353,263	1,477,736
Electric Light and Power	1,000 units.	959,985	1,404,898	1,626,833	1,816,814
Flour	tons.	449,011	523,281	464,498	476,881
Gas	1,000 cub. ft.	10,683,530	10,185,081	10,377,602	10,677,273
Hats and Caps	No.	2,680,332	3,096,180	3,455,520	3,746,604
Ice	tons.	258,833	169,892	190,732	218,851
Iron, Pig	"	461,110	783,233	913,406	929,676
Jams and Preserves	lb.	30,579,055	44,835,866	53,893,286	51,579,868
Manures	cwt.	403,966	517,843	617,903	692,320
Margarine	lb.	16,627,959	17,981,712	21,780,611	24,564,011
Meat—Preserved in Tins	"	4,251,040	4,337,048	5,355,370	5,298,672
Pickles and Sauces	pints.	10,419,549	8,684,019	8,294,816	8,777,375
Self-raising Flour	lb.	25,636,004	25,951,623	28,465,360	32,003,136
Soap	cwt.	483,531	451,144	458,101	453,367
Soap Extracts, Powders, etc.	lb.	6,022,338	6,872,607	8,384,208	7,532,448
Socks and Stockings	doz. pairs	1,142,192	1,014,119	1,074,309	1,381,565
Steel, Ingot	tons.	432,773	820,395	1,073,479	1,159,075
Sugar (the Produce of Cane)—94	N.T. tons	17,434	36,461	38,158	47,077
Timber (Native)—					
Softwood	sup. ft.	41,636,901	45,536,746	48,849,325	48,518,002
Hardwood	"	94,414,153	87,805,695	97,079,859	119,523,751
Tobacco, Cigars, etc.—					
Tobacco	lb.	10,134,242	9,745,539	10,503,136	10,864,732
Cigars	"	86,057	81,483	59,227	54,582
Cigarettes	"	5,117,501	3,932,815	4,178,406	4,466,067
Cloth, Woollen and Worsted	square yards.	5,743,788	11,471,333	10,946,691	10,995,617
Wool, Scoured	lb.	19,649,577	29,946,076	29,492,996	26,271,253

NOTE.—Fuller details are shown in the New South Wales Statistical Register.

\* Excluding waste Beer 634,967 gallons.

† Dozens.

**No. 32.—Value of Production—Recorded Industries—1928-1938.**  
Valued as at place of production.

Year.	Primary Industries.						Manufacturing Industry. (See Note.)	Total, Primary and Manufacturing Industries.	
	Rural Industries (Farm Value).				Forests, Fisheries, and Trapping.	Mines and Quarries (Value at Mine). ††			Total Primary Industries.
	Pastoral.	Agricultural.	Dairying and Farm-yard.	Total Rural Industries.					
VALUES OF GROSS PRODUCTION.									
—Thousand £—									
1927-28	41,593	15,444	15,132	72,169	5,396	11,936	89,501	161,306	
1928-29	40,679	19,356	14,559	74,594	5,298	10,207	90,099	163,726	
1929-30	26,354	15,269	14,539	56,162	4,316	8,444	68,922	135,770	
1930-31	17,835	12,328	12,039	42,202	2,669	6,341	51,212	100,736	
1931-32	19,331	14,547	11,525	45,403	2,578	6,227	54,208	100,861	
1932-33	21,373	17,474	11,462	50,309	2,706	6,227*	59,242	108,811	
1933-34	34,662	14,302	11,713	60,677	3,381	6,685*	70,743	124,785	
1934-35	23,931	15,161	12,885	51,977	3,437	7,239*	62,653	124,083	
1935-36	33,641	16,796	14,112	64,549	4,165	8,045*	76,759	146,229	
1936-37	40,306	23,416	14,592	78,314	4,196	9,690*	92,200	168,954	
1937-38	35,257	20,430	16,113	71,800	3,853	12,014*	87,667	172,905	
VALUES OF NET PRODUCTION.									
1927-28	41,095	12,137	12,844	66,076	5,355	10,031	81,462	153,267	
1928-29	40,356	15,631	12,092	68,079	5,241	8,722	73,627	155,669	
1929-30	25,951	11,373	11,719	49,043	4,252	7,019	60,314	127,162	
1930-31	17,592	9,776	10,383	37,751	2,608	5,249	45,608	95,132	
1931-32	19,024	12,969	9,624	41,617	2,527	5,074	49,218	95,871	
1932-33	20,993	15,124	9,291	45,408	2,653	5,074*	53,135	102,704	
1933-34	34,259	11,724	9,843	55,826	3,337	5,597*	64,760	118,802	
1934-35	23,311	12,787	10,788	46,886	3,386	6,055*	56,327	117,757	
1935-36	32,799	14,139	11,466	58,404	4,117	6,792*	69,313	138,783	
1936-37	39,300	20,515	11,357	71,172	4,145	8,350*	83,667	160,421	
1937-38	33,939	16,260	12,480	62,679	3,708	10,416*	76,893	162,131	

NOTE.—Net Production is Gross Production less commodities consumed in the process of production, except in the case of the manufacturing industry where both Gross and Net Production represent value of output at factory less value of materials and fuel used. Depreciation and various overhead charges have not been deducted.

†† Year ended 31st December following.

\* Values are for year ended 31st December preceding.

## No. 33.—Total Value of Permits to Erect New Buildings, Additions, etc.

(Compiled from returns of Municipal and Shire Councils. Government buildings are excluded.)

Year.	City of Sydney.		Suburbs of Sydney.		129 Country Towns.		Seven Shires Adjacent to Metropolitan Area.		Total of foregoing.
	New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.	New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.	New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.	New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1929	2,127,000	1,420,000	9,070,006	1,728,050	3,775,862	750,264	767,359	83,400	19,721,941
1930	1,237,000	824,000	2,356,053	699,290	1,495,793	445,972	357,128	63,348	7,478,584
1931	330,810	165,607	454,971	347,658	458,871	199,527	152,901	35,282	2,145,627
1932	119,040	349,270	657,637	440,279	593,665	277,188	183,442	38,919	2,659,440
1933§	396,366	428,893	1,459,919	652,632	794,937	338,991	233,990	64,005	4,369,733
1934	589,768	554,747	3,675,736	844,966	1,760,244	486,098	387,151	71,296	8,370,006
1935	1,275,555	872,639	5,515,518	1,287,410	2,604,110	692,317	519,630	78,669	12,845,848
1936	1,556,753	752,557	6,382,739	1,438,054	3,096,819	918,927	562,199	90,188	14,798,236
1937 (Quarter)									
March	93,141	105,701	1,390,986	360,459	796,728	213,000	104,613	14,703	3,079,331
June	744,080	209,936	1,615,361	416,686	934,996	286,445	118,557	36,646	4,362,707
September	615,244	99,362	1,979,320	384,871	917,461	312,108	250,489	25,904	4,584,759
December	512,863	163,274	2,117,254	451,869	917,181	216,646	219,667	30,850	4,629,604
Year	1,965,328	578,273	7,102,921	1,613,885	3,566,366	1,028,199	693,326	108,103	16,656,401
1938 (Quarter)									
March	461,934	205,290	1,938,155	500,997	1,192,316	268,468	156,112	94,029	4,817,301
June	657,264	143,661	2,430,365	457,314	1,035,812	220,821	176,017	48,955	5,170,209
September	895,024	192,080	2,576,931	389,460	1,134,479	243,423	263,854	43,602	5,738,853
December	707,041	147,292	2,031,318	308,093	936,291	247,552	207,482	60,557	4,645,626
Year	2,721,263	688,323	8,976,769	1,655,864	4,298,898	980,264	803,465	247,143	20,371,989
1939 (Quarter)									
March	243,642	183,568	2,010,877	417,708	950,784	215,628	208,202	24,066	4,254,475
June	251,377	177,968	2,439,789	360,819	919,811	205,750	263,423	28,115	4,647,052

§ See footnote to Table 39.

## No. 34.—Permits to erect New Buildings, Additions, etc.—City and Suburbs of Sydney—Monthly.

Month.	Estimated Value of New Buildings, Alterations and Additions.				
	1935.	1936.	1937.	1938.	1939.
	£	£	£	£	£
January ...	640,607	710,034	658,986	904,774	864,192
February ...	522,481	1,125,070	570,838	898,601	999,050
March ...	908,022	620,429	720,463	1,303,001	992,553
April ...	758,133	701,016	991,280	1,256,238	931,534
May ...	903,782	700,436	939,686	1,291,870	1,028,296
June ...	726,027	1,035,846	1,055,097	1,140,496	1,270,123
July ...	1,095,846	974,272	996,606	1,741,128	
August ...	788,943	864,924	1,049,232	1,202,106	
September...	643,199	1,000,383	1,032,959	1,110,261	
October ...	748,186	818,131	962,739	932,666	
November ...	727,029	747,836	1,129,363	1,324,520	
December ...	488,867	831,726	1,153,158	936,558	
Year ...	8,951,122	10,130,103	11,260,407	14,042,219	
Six Months ended 30th June ...	4,459,052	4,892,831	4,936,350	6,794,980	6,085,748

Compiled from returns of Municipal Councils.

Government buildings are excluded.



# No. 35.—Particulars of Building Permits.—New Buildings and Alterations and Additions.

(Government Buildings are excluded.)

Class of Building.	Six Months ended 30th June, 1938.				Six Months ended 30th June, 1939.			
	Metropolis. ‡		Country Towns.		Metropolis. ‡		Country Towns.	
	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
<b>New Buildings.</b>								
Dwellings—		£		£		£		
Brick, concrete, etc. ...	2,365	2,237,970	399	392,002	2,123	2,030,432	335	329,035
Fibro-cement and weatherboard ...	765	392,319	1,763	968,537	878	457,877	1,690	914,897
Hotels, Guest Houses, etc. ...	9	266,650	14	204,696	15	213,500	10	128,400
Flats* ...	(a) 317	1,570,760	21	44,770	(b) 340	1,378,337	17	88,652
Shops with dwellings ...	66	84,515	46	65,012	64	75,660	44	81,016
Shops only ...	42	48,329	55	71,701	36	73,719	54	68,046
Factories ...	47	196,463	19	229,034	52	447,685	23	57,069
Garages (public) ...	21	64,495	28	25,994	16	17,750	22	22,192
Others ...	73	626,217	150	226,382	72	250,725	139	181,288
Total ...	3,705	5,487,718	2,495	2,228,128	3,596	4,945,685	2,334	1,870,595

## Alterations and Additions.

Dwellings—		£		£		£		
Brick, concrete, etc. ...	1,165	221,486	276	44,929	1,185	186,823	344	43,315
Fibro-cement and weatherboard ...	321	20,109	971	73,667	459	26,303	1,102	80,577
Hotels, Guest Houses, etc. ...	35	82,459	63	100,978	58	68,645	64	93,450
Flats ...	33	11,514	2	830	27	15,251	3	2,035
Converted into flats* ...	(c) 74	67,762	9	5,833	(d) 63	37,637	18	9,587
Shops with dwellings ...	105	21,452	55	15,272	74	17,957	74	22,342
Shops only ...	127	129,792	158	65,016	146	73,418	129	45,541
Factories ...	210	266,369	39	37,144	197	226,153	38	14,917
Garages (public) ...	28	12,225	23	7,207	27	11,217	25	7,320
Garages (private) ...	1,092	49,508	745	23,378	1,245	67,351	909	28,401
Outbuildings ...	311	14,329	327	10,419	256	9,554	364	12,751
Others ...	293	410,257	230	104,616	320	399,754	204	61,142
Total ...	3,794	1,307,262	2,898	489,289	4,057	1,140,063	3,274	421,378
Grand Total ...	7,499	6,794,980	5,393	2,717,417	7,653	6,085,748	5,608	2,291,973

Garages built on to existing buildings have been treated as additions. \* Containing dwellings:—(a) 2,585; (b) 2,011, (c) 227; (d) 145. ‡ Metropolitan Municipalities included are listed in Table 87.

# No. 36.—Permits to Erect New Dwellings.—Number of New Dwellings Approved.

Period.	Metropolis.				Country Towns.			
	Number of Dwellings in:—			Net Number of Additional Dwellings*	Number of Dwellings in:—			Net Number of Additional Dwellings.*
	Individual Houses.	Flats and Conversions to Flats.	Shops.		Individual Houses.	Flats and Conversions to Flats.	Shops.	
Year.								
1929.	7,095	2,547	550	9,854	3,364	35	70	3,297
1931.	370	50	33	396	667	10	25	614
1935.	3,332	4,085	173	7,258	3,444	238	84	3,648
1936.	4,392	3,789	193	8,053	3,814	153	104	3,906
1937.	4,868	3,930	128	8,490	3,991	235	105	4,181
1938.	6,358	5,603	218	11,853	4,471	249	105	4,621
January to June								
1937.	2,028	1,655	61	3,509	1,932	134	58	2,037
1938.	3,139	2,812	78	5,854	2,176	83	60	2,239
1939.	3,016	2,156	73	5,088	2,035	152	44	2,112

\* After deducting houses demolished or converted into flats.

## No. 37.—Metropolis—Permits to erect New Buildings, Alterations and Additions.\*

Municipality.	New Buildings during January to June.				Alterations and Additions during January to June.			
	1938.		1939.		1938.		1939.	
	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.
City of Sydney	No. 51	£ 1,119,198	No. 41	£ 495,019	No. 340	£ 348,951	No. 374	£ 361,536
Suburbs—								
Inner Industrial—								
Paddington	6	27,090	5	11,975	21	3,068	32	4,635
Redfern	8	24,550	4	12,520	12	9,420	14	8,125
Waterloo	9	12,793	10	63,890	34	51,373	46	78,660
Alexandria	11	24,676	10	44,725	41	61,835	38	38,772
Mascot	64	72,936	41	31,222	49	5,158	48	3,140
Botany	23	16,418	51	159,068	28	2,520	32	2,936
St. Peters	7	6,640	7	3,520	8	14,960	6	1,975
Erskineville	9	51,000	...	...	5	994	6	1,384
Newtown	6	4,899	6	19,710	76	19,596	39	15,429
Darlington	3	23,353	1	600	1	1,300	...	...
Glebe	2	8,125	5	19,900	28	7,817	20	11,745
Annandale	1	3,000	...	...	3	98	10	1,236
Leichhardt	20	22,450	12	7,955	49	10,748	48	6,010
Balmain	9	18,712	8	5,210	45	9,712	63	7,170
Total ...	178	316,642	160	380,295	400	198,599	402	181,217
Illawarra—Bankstown—								
Marickville	35	64,319	37	54,696	65	55,898	55	25,478
Rockdale	222	177,607	207	168,453	134	12,558	151	17,201
Bexley	181	149,848	170	147,287	105	5,557	122	9,919
Kogarah	176	138,143	151	135,668	148	10,754	151	11,040
Hurstville	211	141,825	208	152,649	95	15,199	108	6,229
Canterbury	357	269,375	294	228,747	307	27,945	339	22,418
Enfield	16	13,385	55	38,510	35	2,250	33	3,726
Bankstown	181	96,156	223	115,574	97	5,404	138	24,390
Total ...	1,379	1,050,658	1,345	1,041,384	986	135,571	1,097	120,401
Inner Western—								
Petersham	13	19,658	13	31,830	57	12,737	60	7,654
Ashfield	37	67,386	53	85,700	96	20,925	103	19,457
Drummoyle	153	132,825	95	94,378	103	21,525	77	8,100
Burwood	44	55,255	13	35,930	92	18,189	69	10,378
Strathfield	69	72,580	77	88,860	41	3,126	70	5,724
Homebush	17	14,000	5	5,492	12	2,720	11	445
Concord	67	63,472	85	70,355	105	47,970	124	24,354
Total ...	400	425,176	341	412,545	506	127,192	514	76,112
Outer Western—								
Lidcombe	54	39,158	63	38,947	57	8,315	61	9,470
Auburn	43	24,983	32	22,252	67	7,026	94	5,482
Granville	66	38,683	64	33,646	79	11,262	74	8,492
Parramatta	53	66,189	41	49,804	54	8,981	51	7,072
Holroyd (Pitt and Merrylands Wards)	56	28,321	59	47,076	36	2,621	23	1,830
Total ...	272	197,334	259	191,725	293	38,205	303	32,346
Northern—								
Manly	90	208,489	92	153,539	67	11,357	78	24,785
Mosman	54	133,725	34	64,958	45	8,240	60	10,860
North Sydney	71	143,996	75	248,345	104	35,758	121	70,513
Willoughby	166	179,704	164	187,711	169	15,854	158	33,365
Ku-ring-gai	209	350,304	139	240,044	219	54,386	220	37,648
Lane Cove	94	88,041	120	125,999	77	24,565	79	9,648
Hunter's Hill	20	24,616	31	53,646	50	121,284	42	4,920
Ryde	158	140,868	168	135,934	118	16,775	180	64,813
Eastwood	10	6,992	25	28,444	16	592	44	2,259
Dundas	35	29,850	31	22,558	28	3,032	30	2,024
Ermington and Rydalmere	16	14,197	5	3,525	11	459	7	1,073
Total ...	923	1,320,782	884	1,264,403	904	292,302	1,019	261,908
Eastern—								
Vaucluse	27	55,081	16	47,900	43	15,028	45	13,941
Woollahra	55	330,425	68	394,999	102	59,109	85	47,869
Waverley	125	293,550	120	357,848	86	22,314	78	15,225
Randwick	295	372,872	362	359,567	134	69,991	140	29,508
Total ...	502	1,057,928	566	1,160,314	365	166,442	348	106,543
Total (Suburbs)	3,654	4,368,520	3,555	4,450,666	3,454	958,311	3,683	778,527
Total (Metropolis)	3,705	5,487,718	3,596	4,945,685	3,794	1,307,262	4,057	1,140,063

\* Compiled from returns of Municipal Councils. Government buildings are excluded.

**No. 38.—Country Towns—Permits to Erect New Buildings, Alterations and Additions.**  
(Government Buildings are excluded.)

Town or Municipality.	Six Months ended 30th June, 1939.			Town or Municipality.	Six Months ended 30th June, 1939.			Town or Municipality.	Six Months ended 30th June, 1939.		
	New Buildings.		Alterations and Additions—Estimated Value.		New Buildings.		Alterations and Additions—Estimated Value.		New Buildings.		Alterations and Additions—Estimated Value.
	Permits.	Estimated Value.			Permits.	Estimated Value.			Permits.	Estimated Value.	
Balance of Cumberland—	No.	£	£	South Coast—	No.	£	£	Central-western	No.	£	£
Cabramatta and Canley Vale	47	16,849	3,840	contd.				Slope—			
Campbelltown ...	15	8,003	4,679	Gerrington ...	3	1,155	506	Dubbo ...	26	16,002	9,416
Castlereagh ...	1	150	.....	Illawarra, Cent'l	117	86,137	11,679	Forbes ...	19	21,330	5,125
Fairfield ...	73	32,061	2,938	Illawarra, North	105	59,485	1,585	Molong ...	2	800	690
Holroyd ...	104	67,446	3,099	Jamberoo ...	3	900	52	Narromine ...	4	2,255	35
Ingleburn ...	8	2,020	507	Kiama ...	1	600	3,614	Parkes ...	21	15,520	3,757
Liverpool ...	24	11,279	4,410	Mittagong ...	12	1,055	3,070	Peak Hill ...	2	1,260	155
Penrith ...	14	14,660	957	Moss Vale ...	13	7,848	5,149				
Richmond ...	10	5,040	538	Nowra ...	7	3,850	4,105				
St. Mary's ...	13	4,579	345	Pictou ...	.....	.....	.....	South-western			
Windsor ...	11	6,985	1,050	Shellharbour ...	19	5,600	755	Slope—			
				Shoalhaven S'th.	2	800	150	Albury ...	41	29,836	6,843
				Ulladulla ...	9	2,555	135	Burrowa ...	3	2,750	2,125
				Wollongong ...	119	117,531	12,953	Cootamundra ...	14	10,340	4,274
North Coast—								Grenfell ...	6	6,160	280
Ballina ...	7	8,205	625	Northern Table-				Junee ...	3	1,580	237
Casino ...	30	49,291	830	land—				Murrumburrah	1	1,200	800
Coraki ...	.....	.....	90	Armidale ...	28	19,070	2,690	Temora ...	7	4,115	8,453
Grafton ...	54	39,596	8,841	Glen Innes ...	10	6,337	4,055	Wagga Wagga	71	117,203	25,976
Grafton, South...	16	6,603	578	Inverell ...	22	16,339	7,629	Wallendbeen ...	.....	.....	.....
Kempsey ...	35	17,186	3,550	Tenterfield ...	4	2,105	180	Wyalong ...	2	800	.....
Lismore ...	66	66,026	10,105	Uralla ...	2	450	341	Young ...	11	6,125	1,315
Maclean ...	9	3,044	1,902	Walcha ...	4	2,176	804				
Mullumbimby ...	7	3,842	2,337					North Central			
Murwillumbah ...	14	11,004	1,963	Central Table-				Plain—			
Ullmarra ...	3	1,400	60	land—				Moree ...	21	20,555	4,604
				Bathurst ...	19	31,538	7,971	Narrabri ...	27	15,905	2,879
Hunter and Manning—				Blackheath ...	11	27,690	2,544	Narrabri West	7	3,315	175
City of Greater				Blayney ...	5	1,458	44				
Newcastle ...	433	414,610	51,136	Carcoar ...	.....	.....	50				
Aberdeen ...	6	8,480	3,440	Cowra ...	6	5,175	1,955	Central Plain—			
Cessnock ...	15	2,952	10,289	Gulgong ...	3	1,305	654	Condonoblin ...	7	10,445	505
Dungog ...	9	21,435	295	Katoomba ...	28	21,090	5,256	Coonamble ...	3	1,735	946
Gosford ...	26	14,276	4,503	Lithgow ...	5	2,900	4,220	Nyngan ...	4	1,910	1,141
Maitland, East	16	8,550	4,027	Mudgee ...	14	8,670	594	Warren ...	3	3,000	1,090
Maitland, West	7	4,947	12,792	Orange ...	30	37,315	3,372				
Morpeth ...	1	30	2,075	Wellington ...	14	7,215	355				
Muswellbrook ...	6	6,085	678					Riverina—			
Port Macquarie	25	9,455	704	Southern Table-				Corowa ...	6	6,408	2,967
Raymond Ter-				land—				Deniliquin ...	5	11,941	1,979
race ...	2	1,700	.....	Bombala ...	10	4,305	941	Hay ...	.....	.....	30
Scone ...	3	2,298	13,270	Cooma ...	4	1,468	1,971	Hillston ...	.....	.....	75
Singleton ...	3	1,380	1,821	Goulburn ...	16	12,589	15,710	Moama ...	.....	.....	84
Taree ...	8	9,817	5,052	Queanbeyan ...	16	8,975	3,244	Narrandera ...	10	5,063	2,509
Wingham ...	7	8,405	399	Yass ...	10	25,745	7,383				
								Western			
South Coast—				North-western				Division—			
Bega ...	13	7,549	2,975	Slope—				Balranald ...	4	5,880	155
Berry ...	17	6,276	5,100	Barraha ...	2	1,050	420	Bourke ...	6	2,916	115
Bowral ...	7	9,433	2,250	Bingara ...	5	2,072	170	Brewarrina ...	3	1,380	135
Braidwood ...	1	280	435	Gunnedah ...	19	9,415	2,477	Broken Hill ...	81	44,207	22,087
Broughton Vale	.....	.....	.....	Manilla ...	2	810	993	Cobar ...	4	800	229
Camden ...	12	9,188	5,868	Murrumbundi	.....	.....	128	Wentworth ...	2	5,300	465
				Quirindi ...	2	815	501	Wilcannia ...	5	1,700	590
				Tamworth ...	34	26,214	8,268				

† Excluding Pitt and Merrylands Wards.

**No. 39.—129 Country Towns—Permits to Erect New Buildings, etc., 1929-39.**

Year.	New Buildings.		Alterations and Additions.		Year.	New Buildings.		Alterations and Additions.	
	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.		Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.
1929 ...	4,375	3,775,862	6,382	750,264	June Quarter—1937 ...	1,158	934,996	1,501	286,445
1930 ...	1,945	1,495,793	5,109	445,972	" " 1938 ...	1,198	1,035,812	1,495	280,821
1931 ...	904	458,871	3,300	199,527	" " 1939 ...	1,168	919,811	1,715	205,750
1932 ...	1,126	593,665	3,528	277,188					
1933 ...	1,546	794,937	3,596	338,991	Half-year ended				
1934 ...	2,931	1,760,244	4,117	486,091	30th June, 1937...	2,248	1,731,724	2,817	499,445
1935 ...	4,063	2,604,110	4,802	692,317	" " 1938...	2,495	2,228,128	2,898	489,289
1936 ...	4,486	3,096,819	5,757	918,927	" " 1939...	2,334	1,870,595	3,274	421,378
1937 ...	4,633	3,566,366	5,895	1,028,199					
1938 ...	5,107	4,298,808	5,842	980,264					

NOTE.—The following municipalities have been excluded from Country Municipalities and included in the Metropolis:—Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta, from 1st January, 1929; Dundas, Ermington and Rydalmere and Pitt and Merrylands Wards of Holroyd Municipality from 1st January, 1933.



**No. 40.—Revenue and Expenditure of New South Wales, 1933-34 to 1937-38.**

(Preliminary figures for 1938-39 are shown in Table 41).

Classification.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37.	1937-38.
<b>REVENUE.</b>					
<b>Governmental—</b>	£	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth contributions towards Interest					
Payments on Public Debt ... ..	£ 2,917,411	2,917,411	2,917,411	2,917,411	2,917,411
Taxation—State† ... ..	£ †6,180,903	†6,755,708	†7,864,230	†9,545,411	†10,954,816
Unemp't Relief, Wages and Special Income	5,248,287	5,262,620	6,190,292	6,801,889	6,949,284
Family Endowment ... ..	998,914	37,778	71,132	24,522	13,671
Land—Alienation ... ..	796,344	805,068	835,170	865,936	829,025
Revenue ... ..	801,742	793,932	864,379	925,658	1,042,729
Total Land ... ..	£ 1,598,086	1,599,000	1,699,549	1,791,594	1,871,754
Services (other than Business Undertakings)...	1,193,548	1,389,588	1,479,753	1,477,914	1,562,419
Miscellaneous Receipts ... ..	3,720,036	3,477,417	2,952,172	2,912,249	3,363,337
Total Governmental ... ..	£ 21,857,185	21,439,522	23,174,539	25,470,990	27,632,692
<b>Business Undertakings—‡</b>					
Railways ... ..	15,690,186	16,802,696	17,753,581	18,616,496	20,286,116
Tramways ... ..	3,237,942	3,321,774	3,388,580	3,423,205	3,529,368
Omnibuses ... ..	227,113	295,924	369,166	504,499	765,355
Sydney Harbour... ..	855,959	968,147	1,040,610	1,093,691	1,186,279
Hunter District Board of Water and Sewerage	276,669	282,837	296,962	333,105	370,058
Total Business Undertakings‡	£ 20,287,869	21,671,381	22,848,899	23,970,996	26,137,176
Road Transport and Traffic Fund ... ..	425,073	450,348	488,770	529,392	576,529
Grand Total ... ..	£ 42,570,127	43,561,251	46,512,208	49,971,378	54,346,397
<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>					
<b>Governmental—</b>					
Interest ... ..	4,111,639	4,472,998	4,638,987	5,084,521	5,113,293
Exchange ... ..	530,676	787,741	791,346	692,514	688,921
Sinking Fund ... ..	4931,653	4795,713	1,073,292	1,199,725	746,012
Sinking Fund (previous years) ... ..	.....	6248,625	.....	.....	.....
<b>Departments—</b>					
Premier ... ..	210,497	252,234	109,225	132,222	260,825
Ministry of Transport ... ..	3,960	4,092	72,844	69,085	91,367
Chief Secretary ... ..	1,333,382	1,346,552	1,425,067	1,556,145	1,684,049
Health (incl. Lunacy) ... ..	1,653,887	1,601,701	1,724,336	1,947,269	2,133,072
Treasurer (ex. Business Undertakings, and Interest on Deposits, etc.)††	1,755,793	1,771,378	1,728,685	1,819,061	1,848,761
Attorney-General and Justice ... ..	640,507	666,014	698,432	730,215	792,265
Lands... ..	313,599	347,269	333,664	343,533	352,137
Public Works (ex. Business Undertakings)...	423,543	456,325	655,717	916,307	1,133,848
Local Government, incl. Endowments, etc.	244,692	271,356	255,606		
Public Instruction (ex. Endowments, etc.)...	3,697,712	3,933,412	4,227,447	4,426,733	5,062,885
Labour and Industry... ..	65,724	46,341	54,915	53,317	66,849
Mines ... ..	65,774	71,398	76,210	76,291	84,762
Forests ... ..	51,806	49,690	55,398	62,703	69,512
Agriculture ... ..	455,051	506,604	517,749	561,253	651,050
Water Conservation and Irrigation ... ..	68,837	74,265	82,701	92,668	106,508
Social Services (part) ... ..	4,885,912	4,255,775	4,884,960	4,955,322	5,843,172
All other Services ... ..	1,294,498	1,057,064	1,182,093	1,218,026	1,321,960
Total, Governmental ... ..	£ 22,739,202	22,816,551	24,588,674	25,936,910	28,051,248
<b>Business Undertakings, incl. Capital Charges*†</b>					
Railways ... ..	18,278,313	18,086,210	18,451,843	18,588,099	20,234,647
Tramways ... ..	2,989,324	3,157,493	3,245,924	3,235,650	3,477,169
Omnibuses ... ..	222,008	286,177	340,123	479,430	757,821
Sydney Harbour... ..	839,614	853,965	849,227	838,264	886,783
Hunter District Board of Water and Sewerage	274,495	253,283	262,297	293,748	330,421
Total, Business Undertakings‡	£ 22,603,754	22,637,128	23,149,414	23,435,191	25,686,841
Road Transport and Traffic Fund ... ..	425,073	450,348	488,770	529,393	576,529
Grand Total ... ..	£ 45,768,029	45,904,027	48,226,858	49,901,494	54,314,618
<b>Motor Taxes paid to Main Roads Dept. (not included in revenue or expenditure above)</b>	1,196,769§	1,312,459§	1,493,735§	1,707,488§	1,875,138

\* Including Interest, Exchange and Sinking Fund. † Exclusive of part of Motor Tax and Motor License Fees paid to Main Roads Dept., etc., and of Family Endowment Tax, and Unemployment Relief Tax (see below and Table 42). ‡ On Income and Expenditure basis. § Excluding £177,234 in 1933-34, £136,132 in 1934-35, £161,511 in 1935-36, and £166,505 in 1936-37 from Road Transport and Traffic Funds. ¶ Includes £800,000 annual contribution to Railways. a Governmental Expenditure excludes Interest and Sinking Fund charges, borne on behalf of and included in Business Undertakings, viz., £2,802,993 and £94,027 in 1933-4, £1,380,000 and £31,598 in 1934-5, and £875,000 and £3,708 (also exchange £243) in 1935-6. b Repayments by Tramways.



**No. 41.—Consolidated Revenue Fund, N.S.W.—Revenue and Expenditure,  
Year ended 30th June, 1939—Estimates, 1938-39.**

Head of Receipt.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Head of Service.
	Estimate for Year 1938-39.	(b) Receipts for Year ended 30th June, 1939.	Estimate for Year 1938-39.	(b) Expenditure for Year ended 30th June, 1939.	
<b>Governmental—</b>					<b>Governmental—</b>
Contribution by Commonwealth towards Interest	£000	£000	£000	£000	Interest—
Stamp and Probate ...	2,917	2,917			Overseas.
Income Tax ...	4,155	3,709	6,418	6,505	Australia.
Other Taxation ...	6,900	6,339	6,472	6,594	
Land Revenue ...	986	1,057			
Services Rendered ...	1,752	1,526	(a) 12,890	(a) 13,100	Exchange.
General Miscellaneous ...	1,715	1,716	(a) 1,668	(a) 1,670	Sinking Fund.
Social Services—	3,214	2,788	(a) 1,777	(a) 1,778	Pensions.
Wages Tax ...	3,199	3,005	693	670	Special Appropriations.
Special Income Tax ...	3,529	3,359	528	610	Departments.
Family Endowment Tax	9	6	15,090	15,102	
	28,376	26,422			
Recoups of Interest Sinking Fund and Exchange from Activities outside of Budget.	2,569	2,506	6,265	5,262	Social Services— (including Food Relief, Family Endowment, Widows' Pensions, etc.).
Total Governmental	£ 30,945	28,928	38,911	38,201	Total Governmental.
<b>Business Undertakings, etc.—</b>					<b>Business Undertakings, etc.</b>
Transport Commissioners—					Transport Commissioners—
Railways ...	20,800	20,029	(a) 13,998	(a) 14,587	Railways.
Tramways and Omnibuses	4,387	4,435	(a) 3,973	(a) 4,136	Tramways and Omnibuses
Road Transport and Traffic Fund ...	615	684	(a) 615	(a) 684	Road Transport and Traffic Fund.
Maritime Services Board—					Maritime Services Board—
Sydney Harbour ...	1,146	1,156	(a) 388	(a) 387	Sydney Harbour.
Total Business Undertakings ...	£ 26,948	26,304	(a) 18,974	(a) 19,794	Total Business Undertakings.
Grand Totals ...	£ 57,893	55,232	57,885	57,995	Grand Totals.
Main Roads Department	£ 3,363	3,615	(a) 3,363	(a) 3,601	Main Roads Department.

(a) For the purposes of this statement the whole of the Interest, Sinking Fund and Exchange charges have been included under Governmental Expenditure. A substantial part of these payments is debited to Business Undertakings and recouped to Governmental Account. (b) Preliminary, subject to revision.

**No. 42.—Taxation Collected by N.S.W. Government, 1935-1939.**  
(Exclusive of Federal and Local Taxes.)

Head of Taxation, or Charge.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37.	1937-38.	1938-39. *
	£	£	£	£	£
Land Tax ...	2,461	2,034	2,221	2,237	2,154
Income Tax ...	3,146,495	4,088,164	5,186,972	6,367,046	6,339,215
Unemployment Relief Tax ...	171,295	...	...	...	...
Wages Tax ...	3,120,034	3,364,082	3,559,553	3,389,603	3,004,863
Special Income Tax ...	1,971,292	2,826,210	3,242,336	3,559,680	3,359,072
Family Endowment Tax ...	37,778	71,132	24,523	13,671	5,584
Stamp and Probate Duties—					
Stamps ...	1,047,844	1,141,305	1,264,646	1,368,919	1,286,124
Betting Tickets ...	36,200	46,807	52,183	52,474	58,996
Probate ...	1,693,966	1,673,805	2,081,548	2,233,144	2,364,114
Motor Tax ...	1,433,232	1,596,227	1,750,886	1,925,772	2,063,150
Motor Registrations, Licenses, etc.	435,791	473,701	514,142	561,132	594,810
Motor Fees (Transport Act, 1930)	18,519	20,405	22,195	23,198	24,563
Motor Fees (Transport Co-ordination, 1931) ...	18,166	20,758	24,346	26,271	27,366
Motor Charges ...	28,957	52,977	42,977	50,438	52,789
Betting Taxes ...	183,945	214,833	230,031	202,208	183,187
Totalizer Tax ...	119,790	115,611	114,720	97,082	94,155
Racecourses Admission Tax ...	82,016	87,787	88,000	48,933	14,371
Entertainments Tax ...	69,226	82,986	91,265	120,882	146,412
Fees for Registration of Dogs ...	22,576	24,457	26,455	25,780	25,579
Other Licenses ...	351,188	386,441	407,368	436,112	616,405
Total, State Taxation	£ 13,990,771	16,289,722	18,726,370	20,504,582	20,262,909
Per head of Population ...	£5/6/2	£6/2/8	£6/19/8	£7/11/5	£7/8/2

NOTE.—Part of the Motor Taxation included above is credited direct to Main Roads Dept. and not included as Governmental revenue. See footnotes to Table 40. \* Preliminary; subject to revision.

## No. 43.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans, N.S.W., 1928-38

Year ended 30th June.	Gross Debt taken over by Commonwealth. (a)	Public Debt.		Loan Expenditure authorised during Year.	Actual Loan Expenditure on Works during Year. (e) (d).	Repayments to Credit of Votes of previous Years. (c)	Net Addition to Loan Expenditure on Works during Year. (c)
		Total. (b)	Per Head of Population.				
	£	£	£ s. d.	£	£	£	£
1928	257,189,045	248,243,348	100 19 1	17,686,837	13,760,264	1,225,987	12,534,277
1929	268,635,883	267,277,435	106 15 9	13,491,447	16,092,936	710,826	15,382,110
1930	270,908,045	276,209,411	109 3 3	12,989,267	9,398,228	614,290	8,783,938
1931	288,108,753	279,928,800	109 11 6	7,106,439	6,152,467	654,218	5,498,249
1932	306,525,598	303,719,975	117 15 10	2,908,312	4,032,068	644,924	3,387,144
1933	315,002,430	312,023,961	119 19 2	(e) 7,567,425	4,910,836	589,405	4,321,431
1934	325,541,591	322,387,025	122 19 2	9,256,304	7,798,094	793,616	7,004,478
1935	337,101,269	329,863,304	124 14 6	7,832,280	10,607,075	882,313	9,724,762
1936	346,576,294	339,330,446	127 6 1	12,006,800	9,401,108	1,512,288	7,978,820
1937	350,291,499	344,911,946	128 2 0	11,613,797	7,182,523	846,445	6,336,078
1938	354,167,254	349,318,725	128 9 7	8,786,287	8,110,740	3,009,875	5,106,865

(a) Includes Funded Debt plus advances by Commonwealth Government and Commonwealth Bank, Short Term Debentures and Treasury Bills, and Closer Settlement Debentures outstanding. (b) Heading (a) plus or minus Loan Account balances, less Commonwealth Advances and Sinking Fund, etc. (c) General Loan and Loan Suspense Accounts only. (d) Excludes redemption of Closer Settlement Debentures, £650,200 in 1929, and £606,100 in 1930. (e) Excludes exchange on transfer of Treasury Bills from London, £537,762.

## No. 44.—Loan Liability of New South Wales to the Commonwealth as at 30th June, 1938 (in terms of the Commonwealth Financial Agreement).

Register.	Loan Liability.	Proportion on each Register.	Annual Amount of Interest Liability.	Average Nominal Rate of Interest Payable.	
				30th June, 1938.	30th June, 1937.
	£	per cent.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Australia ... ..	181,800,821	51·33	6,229,334	3 8 6	3 8 4
London ... ..	159,446,470	45·02	5,884,388	3 13 9	3 13 9
New York ... ..	12,919,963	3·65	625,636	4 6 10	4 16 10
Total ... ..	354,167,254	100·00	12,739,358	3 11 11	3 11 11

\* Payable in English and American currency respectively, cost of exchange is not included.

## No. 45.—Short Term Debt of New South Wales, 1932-39.

At 30th June	Australia.	London.	Total.	At 30th June.	Australia.	London.	Total.
	thousand £	thousand £	thousand £		thousand £	thousand £	thousand £
1932 ...	25,010	12,675	37,685	1937 ...	30,560	9,965	40,525
1934 ...	29,190	10,113	39,303	1938 ...	30,870	9,965	40,835
1935 ...	28,310	10,113	38,423	1939 ...	31,830	9,965	41,795
1936 ...	30,605	9,965	40,570				

## No. 46.—New South Wales Government Loans Converted in London, 1932-37.

English Currency.

Date of Transaction in London.		Amount.	Former Rate of Interest.	New Conversion Loan.			Annual Saving in Interest (Exclusive of Exchange.)
Under-written.	Converted.			Nominal Rate of Interest.	Effective Yield to Investor (Including Redemption).	Latest Date of Maturity.	
		£	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.		£
1932. October	1932. 1st November ...	12,360,958	5½	3½	4 1 2	1/11/1937	278,121
1933. February	1933. 1st April* ...	9,621,846	4	4	4 0 0	1/7/1970	Nil.
May ...	1st September	6,427,465	6½	3½	3 14 5	1/2/1938	192,824
July ...	16th October ...	9,527,089	6	4	4 1 10	15/10/1948	190,542
Sept. ...	15th December 1934.	4,901,233	5½	3½	3 17 11	15/12/1953	98,025
Dec. ...	15th March ...	2,980,400	5½	3½	3 16 9	15/3/1949	52,157
1934. February	1935. 1st June ...	3,979,050	5	3½	3 13 8	1/6/1959	59,686
July ...	1st October* ...	12,420,113	3	3	3 0 0	1/10/1941	Nil.
1936. January	1936. 15th April ...	21,657,000	5	3	3 5 10	15/4/1958	433,140
June ...	15th September	10,954,600	4½	2½	2 18 6	1/1/1943	191,705
1937. June ...	1937. 15th September†	12,360,958†	3½	3½	3 16 2	15/9/1952	Nil.
Nov. ...	1st Feb., 1938†	6,427,465†	3½	3½	3 15 1	1/2/1954	Nil.

\* Renewal.

† Further conversion of loan converted in November 1932, and September, 1933.

## No. 47.—Trading Banks.

## (a) Average Liabilities in New South Wales (including Commonwealth and Rural Banks).

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended—	Bank Notes.	Deposits.				Total Deposits.	Other Liabilities.	Total Liabilities within New South Wales.
		Bearing Interest.		Not Bearing Interest.				
		Government.	Other.	Government.	Other.			
June—	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
1929 ...	64	5,086	73,247	2,369	53,914	134,616	6,554	141,234
1930 ...	64	4,136	78,269	2,145	46,143	130,693	9,234	139,991
1931 ...	63	1,993	78,380	1,110	40,133	121,616	9,314	130,993
1932 ...	63	710	69,395	1,859	39,208	111,172	4,831	116,066
1933 ...	57	1,043	73,282	605	39,245	114,175	8,162	122,394
1934 ...	55	561	74,939	1,089	46,156	122,745	8,644	131,444
1935 ...	52	4,090	70,774	662	49,584	125,110	8,340	133,502
1936 ...	52	6,323	68,840	645	50,612	126,420	7,478	133,950
1937 ...	52	5,710	76,505	976	57,805	140,996	10,354	151,402
1938 ...	51	7,605	80,402	641	59,163	147,811	6,564	154,426
1939 ...	51	10,434	81,112	313	53,742	150,601	7,343	157,995

## (b) Average Assets in New South Wales (including Commonwealth and Rural Banks).

Quarter ended—	Coin and Bullion.	Australian Notes and Cash with Commonwealth Bank.	Advances, Securities, etc.			Landed Property.	Other Assets.	Total Assets within New South Wales.
			Government and Municipal Securities.	Other Advances, etc.	Total.			
June—	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
1929 ...	11,984	11,046	24,248	119,575	143,823	3,188	3,788	173,829
1930 ...	2,254	15,767	22,173	128,851	151,024	3,473	5,513	178,031
1931 ...	908	15,922	9,346	127,007	136,353	3,654	3,287	160,124
1932 ...	1,055	12,510	21,162	117,477	138,639	3,876	2,420	158,500
1933 ...	1,008	12,015	25,838	113,519	139,357	3,801	1,600	157,781
1934 ...	929	13,838	30,230	110,759	140,989	3,846	1,429	161,031
1935 ...	881	13,107	28,922	118,030	146,952	4,173	1,301	166,414
1936 ...	963	11,203	21,189	126,282	147,471	4,292	1,419	165,348
1937 ...	1,135	13,629	23,055	130,286	153,341	4,579	1,257	173,941
1938 ...	1,454	10,392	19,477	147,158	166,635	4,840	1,321	184,642
1939 ...	1,527	9,876	24,549	152,986	177,535	4,955	1,306	195,199

\* Including Commonwealth Treasury Bills.

## No. 48.—Trading Banks' Inter-Bank Clearings, Sydney.

(Excluding Treasury Bill Transactions.)

	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.	1938.
Year ended 31st Dec.	£716,086,124	£775,985,112	£842,609,556	£937,334,454	£942,422,514
Month, 1937:	£	Month, 1938:	£	Month, 1938:	£
July ...	75,036,788	January ...	67,466,103	July ...	70,474,596
August ...	69,986,400	February ...	75,619,674	August ...	72,919,771
September ...	79,829,396	March ...	82,577,616	September ...	77,578,346
October ...	80,107,615	April ...	75,711,843	October ...	79,485,037
November ...	81,306,712	May ...	82,944,935	November ...	82,729,990
December ...	83,877,948	June ...	86,802,680	December ...	88,111,923
	470,144,859		471,122,851		471,299,663
					455,518,201

NOTE.—These totals represent the amount of cheques drawn on a bank other than the bank in which they are deposited. They are an approximate measure of general business activity. Net balances of country settlements are included. Treasury Bill transactions on behalf of Governments are excluded throughout.



## No. 49.—Index of Amount of Sydney Bank Clearings.

Average for each month = 100 (base period, 1926-1930.)

Month.	Average 1926-1930.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.	1938.	1939.
January ...	100	107	107	102	82	63	68	78	75	89	101	97	98
February ...	100	106	107	98	82	62	66	77	75	86	101	96	96
March ...	100	106	106	95	81	§	63	75	74	85	98	95	93
April ...	100	104	104	94	82	§	63	74	78	87	103	102	98
May ...	100	105	104	93	77	§	67	74	79	86	100	103	100
June ...	100	103	104	90	75	66	68	78	86	87	103	106	101
July ...	100	103	106	89	65	62	68	75	83	85	97	101	
August ...	100	103	108	85	65	64	66	73	84	86	98	101	
September ...	100	106	107	82	64	65	69	73	82	87	101	99	
October ...	100	108	106	80	65	66	70	76	85	91	101	101	
November ...	100	108	103	81	66	68	74	80	89	96	103	102	
December ...	100	107	104	82	64	69	74	77	90	99	101	102	

NOTE.—This index represents the ratio of monthly clearings to the average for the months concerned during the five years 1926-1930. Seasonal fluctuations are, therefore, virtually eliminated. The trend has been smoothed out by taking a three months moving average. The index is adjusted to eliminate the effects of Treasury Bills and other special transactions on behalf of Governments, and the effects of bank amalgamations. No allowance has been made for normal growth or change of price levels.

§ Index not ascertainable on account of suspension of State Government banking transactions.

## No. 50.—Savings Banks in New South Wales.†

Year.	Amount of Deposits on 30th June.‡	Increase in Deposits during year. ‡	Amount Deposited on 30th June.		Date.	Amount of Deposits.
			Per Inhabitant.			
	£	£	£	s. d.		£
1928	81,627,667	3,275,934	33	3 11	1937—Mar. 31	79,769,787
1929	85,727,514	4,099,847	34	5 1	June 30	†81,952,399
					Sept. 30	82,460,751
1930	82,465,430	(-) 3,262,084	32	12 0	Dec. 31	82,818,626
1931	69,810,769	(-) 12,654,661	27	6 6		
1932	71,647,869	1,837,100	27	15 9	1938—Mar. 31	83,989,040
1933	72,307,685	659,816	27	16 0	June 30	†86,015,685
					Sept. 30	86,436,219
					Dec. 31	86,645,354
1934	75,714,070	3,406,385	28	17 7		
1935	77,906,402	2,192,332	29	9 2		
1936	79,999,948	2,093,546	30	0 3	1939—Mar. 31	86,269,445
1937	81,952,399	1,952,451	30	8 9	June 30	†87,473,673*
1938	86,015,685	4,063,286	31	12 9		
1939*	87,473,673	1,457,988	31	16 2		

† Amount at credit of depositors' accounts in State Savings Bank and Commonwealth Savings Bank.

These banks were amalgamated in December, 1931.

‡ Including accrued interest. (—) Denotes decrease. \* Preliminary; subject to slight revision.

## No. 51.—Real Estate Transactions.—New South Wales.

(Registered under Real Property Act and Registration of Deeds Act.)

Month.	Amount of Sales.					Amount of Mortgages.†				
	1935.	1936.	1937.	1938.	1939.	1935.	1936.†	1937.	1938.†	1939.
Thousand £.										
January ...	1,727	2,153	2,954	2,383	2,449	1,246	1,241	1,861	1,771	1,501
February ...	2,205	2,564	2,596	3,285	2,438	1,341	1,200	1,688	1,868	1,841
March ...	2,201	3,090	2,992	3,280	3,623	1,541	3,630	2,134	2,036	2,225
April ...	1,828	3,033	2,792	2,770	2,245	1,160	1,389	1,607	2,359	2,025
May ...	2,518	2,317	2,716	3,989	3,090	1,723	1,376	1,850	2,727	2,112
June ...	2,163	2,839	2,879	2,898	2,613	1,572	1,756	1,842	2,604	1,658
July ...	2,451	3,288	4,692	2,894		1,363	1,668	2,550	2,283	
August ...	2,041	2,787	2,925	4,262		1,121	1,686	1,771	2,184	
September ...	2,248	2,815	2,665	3,079		1,634	1,563	1,593	2,083	
October ...	2,158	2,508	3,079	3,111		1,361	2,270	2,241	2,153	
November ...	2,475	3,212	3,478	2,671		1,133	1,504	2,694	2,565	
December ...	2,075	2,940	3,585	2,797		1,336	1,831	1,980	2,343	
Year ...	26,090	33,546	37,353	37,419		16,531	20,511†	23,811	26,967†	
Six months ended 30th										
June ...	12,642	15,996	16,929	18,605	16,458	8,583	9,992	10,982	13,363	11,452

† Totals for months are approximate and aggregate differs slightly from annual total. ‡ In terms of the Moratorium Act, 1932-1937, the right of mortgagees to demand repayment of moneys secured by mortgage was postponed until 1940. The amount of loan is not stated in all mortgages, consequently this record is incomplete.



## No. 52.—Liens on Crops and Wool—1928-1939.

Year.	Crop Liens.		Wool Liens.		Period.	Crop Liens.		Wool Liens.	
	No.	Amount.	Sheep.	Amount.		No.	Amount.	Sheep.	Amount.
		£	No.	£			£	No.	£
1928 ...	10,259	1,938,014	6,209,638	2,652,272	1938—				
1929 ...	7,211	2,040,011	6,950,700	2,695,679	Quarter ended 31st March	1,610	792,271	1,929,678	800,801
1930 ...	13,542	4,737,232	9,643,363	3,279,949	April ...	416	165,763	841,481	351,595
1931 ...	12,377	5,347,897	11,380,440	3,568,911	May ...	438	192,708	696,545	387,296
1932 ...	10,346	4,826,183	10,150,291	2,458,365	June ...	424	194,390	1,074,453	409,264
1933 ...	8,501	4,083,952	9,742,192	2,589,565	Half-year ended 30th June	2,888	1,345,132	4,542,157	1,948,956
1934 ...	6,045	2,388,111	8,569,095	2,988,131	1939—				
1935 ...	5,385	2,043,037	7,799,522	2,730,660	Quarter ended 31st March	1,643	759,045	1,979,432	918,730
1936 ...	4,434	1,734,075	7,536,321	3,067,317	April ...	527	199,789	770,926	309,275
1937 ...	3,892	1,630,355	7,257,317	2,989,384	May ...	607	243,190	959,539	536,223
1938 ...	4,238	1,868,317	7,302,124	2,896,558	June ...	435	182,467	864,671	352,535
					Half-year ended 30th June	3,212	1,385,191	4,574,568	2,116,769

## No. 53.—Mortgages on Live Stock—1928-1938.

Year.	Sheep.*		Cattle.	Horses.	Amount.	Period.	Sheep.*		Cattle.	Horses.	Amount.
	No.	£					No.	£			
1928 ...	4,685,722	99,992	13,502	3,045,738	1938—						
1929 ...	4,925,093	100,486	13,448	2,907,599	Quarter ended 31st March	1,222,248	32,122	3,689	513,371		
1930 ...	6,479,756	98,341	19,746	3,137,084	April ...	457,731	13,909	1,349	120,237		
1931 ...	9,610,967	122,467	25,734	2,686,070	May ...	330,625	9,674	1,390	103,925		
1932 ...	9,247,248	137,185	18,691	1,906,868	June ...	517,329	22,911	1,443	226,110		
1933 ...	6,674,934	149,351	15,270	1,063,414	Half-year ended 30th June	2,527,333	78,616	7,871	963,643		
1934 ...	7,153,248	156,105	18,397	1,571,431	1939—						
1935 ...	5,869,101	161,664	17,075	1,386,540	Quarter ended 31st March	1,201,955	30,653	4,917	431,721		
1936 ...	5,634,614	139,492	13,768	1,676,104	April ...	500,614	9,949	2,400	87,806		
1937 ...	5,178,462	123,926	14,060	1,846,477	May ...	607,767	7,837	1,480	154,167		
1938 ...	4,731,380	132,669	16,240	1,886,871	June ...	448,730	9,933	1,382	139,066		
					Half-year ended 30th June	2,759,066	58,372	10,179	812,700		

\* Some of these sheep are also subject to liens for wool, and are included in Table 52.

## No. 54.—Stock Exchange Index (Sydney).

The following index of the values of the principal Company shares on Sydney Stock Exchange embraces the ordinary shares of companies (excluding banking companies) whose business is conducted wholly or largely in New South Wales. The prices of individual shares are unweighted. \* There is no base period as the index represents the ratio per cent. of the average prices of ordinary shares to their par values; adjustment being made where capital is written off or bonus shares issued.

Average for Year.	23 Manufacturing and Distributing Companies.	10 Retail Companies.	8 Public Utility Companies.	5 Pastoral and Finance Companies.	5 Insurance Companies.	Total* Companies 75.	34 Active Shares included in foregoing.
1929	174.0	172.0	127.7	158.4	229.6	166.6	164.5
1930	113.7	103.2	107.6	85.8	167.5	112.2	111.6
1931	81.0	67.6	90.6	79.1	130.4	81.9	87.0
1932	102.7	81.7	116.2	98.6	155.4	98.3	105.6
1933	127.8	102.5	137.2	121.0	179.0	119.3	127.2
1934	153.2	138.5	161.0	147.1	226.8	146.1	152.4
1935	173.8	162.4	178.5	137.4	269.1	163.6	169.2
1936	194.0	188.2	180.1	148.5	278.5	177.1	185.5
1937	212.1	196.2	182.1	166.5	276.5	187.1	196.7
1938	208.0	181.9	177.5	135.1	257.5	178.0	184.5
1937— March ...	213.8	203.8	181.0	169.2	281.2	190.4	200.5
1938— June ...	206.7	185.0	177.0	128.2	256.6	177.3	181.9
July ...	210.2	182.9	176.9	130.8	256.7	178.8	183.7
August ...	210.5	184.2	176.2	130.0	262.3	179.3	184.0
September ...	200.4	176.2	173.8	123.1	257.1	172.3	176.1
October ...	203.9	174.0	175.5	126.0	256.8	174.0	180.2
November ...	208.6	174.8	174.3	126.9	257.7	176.6	183.2
December ...	206.7	173.4	173.9	124.8	263.5	175.6	181.8
1939— January ...	208.9	172.8	177.3	121.8	263.0	176.5	183.7
February ...	209.3	173.8	171.0	119.6	260.5	175.8	183.6
March ...	206.9	173.0	163.8	120.6	257.6	174.1	181.1
April ...	203.4	169.1	161.1	114.9	256.0	170.9	178.0
May ...	212.8	173.7	163.8	113.5	255.8	175.4	184.0
June ...	215.4	175.8	163.3	113.9	258.8	177.3	185.0

\* Including 24 Miscellaneous Companies.

## No. 55.—Index of Employment—N.S.W.

After comprehensive analysis of Census data, the returns of private employers accompanying remittances of wages tax, and returns of Government employment, the following indexes have been compiled covering total employment and unemployment in New South Wales :—

Year.	Proportion per cent. of All who are Dependent on, and Available for Employment at the middle of—											
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
(a) Including Full-time Equivalent of Part-time Relief Workers as Employed.												
	<i>Employed.</i>											
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1933	...	...	...	...	...	*74.4	75.0	75.5	76.0	77.0	77.8	78.5
1934	77.0	78.3	79.5	79.2	80.2	80.5	81.4	81.9	82.6	83.6	84.2	85.2
1935	82.8	83.7	84.4	84.8	85.4	85.9	86.5	87.1	88.4	88.9	89.6	90.3
1936	87.2	87.7	88.9	89.0	89.8	89.3	89.7	89.4	90.0	91.4	91.6	91.9
1937	90.4	92.2	92.2	92.6	93.1	93.5	93.8	94.3	95.1	96.2	96.9	97.2
1938	94.6	96.0	96.0	96.0	95.8	96.1	95.9	95.3	95.8	95.4	95.6	96.5
1939	93.0	94.4	94.2	94.6	94.3	93.7	...	...	...	...	...	...
	<i>Unemployed.</i>											
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1933	...	...	...	...	...	*25.6	25.0	24.5	24.0	23.0	22.2	21.5
1934	23.0	21.7	20.5	20.8	19.8	19.5	18.6	18.1	17.4	16.4	15.8	14.8
1935	17.2	16.3	15.6	15.2	14.6	14.1	13.5	12.9	11.6	11.1	10.4	9.7
1936	12.8	12.3	11.1	11.0	10.2	10.7	10.3	10.6	10.0	8.6	8.4	8.1
1937	9.6	7.8	7.8	7.4	6.9	6.5	6.2	5.7	4.9	3.8	3.1	2.8
1938	5.4	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.2	3.9	4.1	4.7	4.2	4.6	4.4	3.5
1939	7.0	5.6	5.8	5.4	5.7	6.3	...	...	...	...	...	...
(b) Excluding Part-time Relief Workers from Employed.												
	<i>Employed.</i>											
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1933	...	...	...	...	...	*73.5	73.9	74.2	74.8	75.5	76.0	76.5
1934	74.7	76.0	77.1	76.7	77.7	77.8	78.5	79.1	80.0	81.0	81.8	82.8
1935	80.6	81.4	81.9	82.1	82.6	83.1	83.6	84.2	85.6	86.3	87.1	87.8
1936	85.0	85.5	86.7	86.9	87.6	87.1	87.6	87.5	88.6	90.0	90.1	90.5
1937	89.2	90.8	90.8	91.3	91.9	92.3	92.6	93.0	93.9	95.1	95.7	96.0
1938	93.5	95.0	94.9	94.9	94.8	95.1	94.9	94.2	94.8	94.3	94.6	95.4
1939	91.9	93.3	93.2	93.5	93.3	92.6	...	...	...	...	...	...
	<i>Unemployed.</i>											
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1933	...	...	...	...	...	*26.5	26.1	25.8	25.2	24.5	24.0	23.5
1934	25.3	24.0	22.9	23.3	22.3	22.2	21.5	20.9	20.0	19.0	18.2	17.2
1935	19.4	18.6	18.1	17.9	17.4	16.9	16.4	15.8	14.4	13.7	12.9	12.2
1936	15.0	14.5	13.3	13.1	12.4	12.9	12.4	12.5	11.4	10.0	9.9	9.5
1937	10.8	9.2	9.2	8.7	8.1	7.7	7.4	7.0	6.1	4.9	4.3	4.0
1938	6.5	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.2	4.9	5.1	5.8	5.2	5.7	5.4	4.6
1939	8.1	6.7	6.8	6.5	6.7	7.4	...	...	...	...	...	...

\* Census of 30th June.

## NOTES.

(1) The index of employment is the ratio of number in employment (first column of Table 57) to estimated number of wage earners available for employment. The index of unemployment is the residue, but both indexes are derived by modifying the census ratios in accordance with subsequent changes.

(2) "Number in employment" is virtually a direct record; "number of available wage earners" is an estimate derived by increasing the total of wage earners in employment (plus unemployed) at the Census of 1933 in ratio to the annual increase in persons aged 15 to 64 years. In order to increase the degree of precision in the index, adjustment is made in the number of available wage earners thus estimated to allow for (a) increase in the proportion of females who are wage earners (b) youths who were without occupation but were not recorded in the wage-earning group at the Census of 1933: Adjustment for seasonal variations in employment is not made except in respect of casual retail employees in December.

(3) At the census of 1933, 15,142 persons, or 1.8 per cent. of total dependent on employment were unemployed by reason of illness, accident, etc., or voluntarily. These are excluded from the above indexes which relate to percentages of available wage earners employed and unemployed.

(4) The percentages of unemployment shown above are approximations relating to all wage earners of both sexes. Separate estimates for males and females cannot be made from the data available.

## No. 56.—Volume of Employment in Factories—New South Wales.

(Base : Number of employees in factories (180,756) in year 1928–29 equals 100.)

Year Ended 30th June.	Index Number.	Month.	Index Number.						
			1932–33	1933–34	1934–35	1935–36	1936–37	1937–38	1938–39*
1928 ... ..	99	July ... ..	72	78	90	101	110	120	126
1929 ... ..	100	August ... ..	74	80	92	103	111	121	126
1930 ... ..	90	September ... ..	75	81	93	104	112	122	126
1931 ... ..	71	October ... ..	76	84	96	106	114	124	126
1932 ... ..	70	November ... ..	78	86	97	108	116	125	126
1933 ... ..	77	December ... ..	79	87	98	109	116	126	126
1934 ... ..	85	January ... ..	76	83	95	105	113	123	121
1935 ... ..	97	February ... ..	78	86	98	107	117	125	123
1936 ... ..	107	March ... ..	79	89	100	109	119	127	125
1937 ... ..	115	April ... ..	78	89	101	109	118	126	124
1938 ... ..	124	May ... ..	78	90	101	111	119	127	123
1939* ... ..	125	June ... ..	77	90	101	110	120	127	123

\* Preliminary, subject to revision; based on sample returns.

NOTE.—For the numbers of persons employed each year, by sexes, see Table 30.

## No. 57.—Employment in New South Wales.

(Approximate number of persons employed in middle week of month.)

Month.	Total in Employment. (a)	Total in Private Employment.	Total employed in Factories.	Number Employed by Employers with 10 or more Employees in—			
				Mines.	Retail Trade.	Wholesale Trade.	Offices and Commerce.
1933—June (b) ...	594,273	477,577	139,744	14,568	38,544	17,638	20,340
1934—June ...	639,646	518,645	162,700	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1935—June ...	694,815	567,110	182,200	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
1936—June ...	741,934	613,631	199,200	18,995	47,653	22,792	25,543
1937.							
January ...	767,367	630,601	204,300	18,458	48,955	23,833	25,393
February ...	782,069	643,523	211,100	18,642	49,483	24,318	25,257
March ...	783,328	643,797	214,400	18,461	48,888	24,140	25,098
April ...	788,862	646,902	213,100	18,635	49,192	24,534	25,232
May ...	795,485	650,272	214,600	18,512	50,232	24,718	24,393
June ...	800,405	652,947	216,900	18,555	49,877	24,808	24,857
July ...	803,579	656,424	216,400	18,808	51,260	24,508	25,429
August ...	808,770	660,759	219,300	19,436	49,948	24,331	25,423
September ...	817,679	668,068	221,100	19,738	49,854	24,474	26,048
October ...	829,735	679,736	224,000	19,320	50,623	24,819	26,883
November ...	835,635	686,239	226,100	19,461	51,415	25,015	26,865
December ...	849,993	699,183	228,100	19,782	57,364	25,355	26,397
1938.							
January ...	819,823	670,877	222,300	20,607	50,796	24,523	25,970
February ...	833,755	684,830	226,300	20,972	51,919	24,857	26,205
March ...	835,154	685,237	229,200	21,166	50,727	25,279	26,013
April ...	835,772	686,643	227,900	21,341	51,195	25,598	26,244
May ...	835,596	685,554	228,800	20,782	51,390	25,354	26,029
June ...	839,511	688,881	229,000	20,980	51,921	25,212	26,297
July ...	838,622	687,864	227,000†	21,184	53,112	25,169	26,166
August ...	834,572	684,897	227,600†	20,990	51,323	25,320	26,303
September ...	(d)840,471	(d)691,259	228,300†	(d)19,823	50,989	25,515	27,176
October ...	(d)837,413	(d)689,027	228,100†	(d)19,750	51,193	25,664	27,611
November ...	841,373	692,534	227,900†	21,719	52,340	25,814	27,638
December ...	859,694	708,949	228,500†	21,709	58,716	26,340	27,581
1939—							
January ...	820,376	670,350	218,200†	21,396	51,304	25,381	27,131
February ...	833,557	683,422	222,700†	21,349	53,046	25,555	27,193
March ...	834,129	683,091	225,200†	21,311	51,317	25,682	27,610
April ...	837,652	685,649	224,000†	21,540	51,361	25,834	27,218
May ...	836,182	683,203	223,100†	21,145	51,951	25,701	27,323
June ...	831,555	678,577	223,100†	20,873	51,667	25,212	27,277

(a) Excluding Rationed Relief Workers. (b) Census of 30th June. (c) Comparable figures not available.

(d) Includes approximately 11,000 mine employees idle between 9th September and 24th October owing to an industrial dispute.

† Approximate; subject to revision.



**No. 58.—Living Wage for Adult Employees\*—New South Wales (State) Awards.**

	Date of Declaration.										Amount per week— Whole State.	
											Male.	Female.
											s. d.	s. d.
27th June, 1927	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85 0	46 0
20th December, 1929	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82 6	44 6
26th August, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70 0	38 0
11th April, 1933	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68 6	37 0
20th October, 1933	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66 6	36 0
26th April, 1934, and 24th October, 1934	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67 6	36 6
18th April, 1935, and 25th October, 1935	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68 6	37 0
24th April, 1936	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	69 0	37 6
27th October, 1936	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70 0	38 0
27th April, 1937	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71 6	38 6

  

	Sydney, Newcastle, Wollongong-Port Kembla.		County of Yancowinna.		Other Districts.		Crown Employees (All Districts).	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1937—October	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
December	78 0	42 0	78 0	75 0	40 6	76 0	41 0	41 0
1938—March	78 0	42 0	79 0	75 0	40 6	77 0	41 6	41 6
June	79 0	42 6	79 0	76 0	41 0	77 0	41 6	41 6
September	79 0	42 6	81 0	76 0	41 0	78 0	42 0	42 0
December	80 0	43 0	82 0	77 0	41 6	78 0	42 0	42 0
1939—March	81 0	43 6	82 0	78 0	42 0	80 0	43 0	43 0
June	81 0	43 6	83 0	78 0	42 0	80 0	43 0	43 0
September	82 0	44 0	85 0	79 0	42 6	80 0	43 0	43 0
	81 0	43 6	84 0	78 0	42 0	80 0	43 0	43 0

\* Prior to October, 1937, the living wages for awards and agreements under State jurisdiction were determined by the Industrial Commission of New South Wales. Since October, 1937, the basic wages of the Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration have been adopted for State awards.

NOTE.—Current Living Wage rates of State Tribunals in other States in July, 1939, were:—Brisbane, 8s.; Adelaide, 78s.; Perth, 82s. 2d. In Melbourne and Hobart the Federal basic rates (as shown in footnote to Table 59) are usually applied.

**No. 59.—Basic Wage (Predominant Rate) in Federal Awards—Sydney.**

Amount per week—Adult Males.

Year.	February.	May.	August.	November.	Year.	March.	June.	September.	December.
1929	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	1934	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
...	91 0	95 0	94 6	95 0	...	.....	68 0	68 0	68 0
1930	95 6	92 0	91 0	88 0	1935	68 0	68 0	68 0	70 0
1931	76 6	74 3	72 11	70 8	1936	70 0	70 0	70 0	70 0
1932	68 10	68 10	68 5	67 6	1937	70 0	72 0	75 0	78 0
1933	66 7	67 10	66 11	66 11	1938	79 0	79 0	80 0	81 0
1934	66 11	67 0	(see adjoining columns)		1939	81 0	82 0	81 0	

\* From July, 1937.

† From October, 1937.

The rates in the other capital cities from 1st September, 1939, were:—Melbourne, 8s.; Brisbane, 76s.; Adelaide 78s.; Perth, 77s.; Hobart, 77s.

NOTE.—The foregoing rates up to February, 1934, represent the Harvester Wage (42s. in 1907) adjusted by retail price index numbers, plus the "Powers' 3s." From February, 1931, to February, 1934, the adjusted rate was reduced by 10 per cent. This reduction has been applied in calculating the rates shown above.

As from May, 1934, a new basic rate was determined, the "Power's 3s." abolished, and the 10 per cent. reduction restored to marginal rates. The basic rate is subject to periodical adjustment from June, 1934.

In July, 1937, a fixed loading of 6s. was added to the basic rate in two instalments, viz., 3s. from 1st July, 1937 and 3s. from 1st October, 1937.

**No. 60.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of Agricultural, Pastoral and Dairy Produce—Monthly.**

Article.	March Quarter, 1939.			June Quarter, 1939.			June Quarter, 1938.		
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	April.	May.	June.
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Wool (Greasy) ... per lb.	10.5	10.6	10.3	10.0	9.9	10.5	11.0	11.3	10.8
Wheat ... per bus.	2 5 5	2 5 5	2 4	2 4 9	2 6 9	2 5 4	4 0.	3 10 5	3 7
Flour (in 150-lb. bags) ... per ton	12 4 28	12 0 08	12 2 98	12 5 98	12 3 38	12 7 68	9 12 11	9 11 9	8 12 7
Bran ... per bus.	12.26	12.60	12.40	11.78	11.24	10.32	16.17	16.80	16.80
Pollard ...	12.53	13.20	12.93	11.78	11.24	10.32	16.53	16.80	16.80
Oats ...	3 4	3 4	3 3 5	3 0	2 8 5	2 8 5	4 0 4	3 8 6	3 10 5
Maize ...	5 2 5	4 10 8	4 6 3	4 0 5	4 1	4 0	5 3 7	5 3	4 9 3
Hay (Oaten) ... per ton	10 0 6	9 17 7	10 11 10	10 13 11	9 6 1	6 15 2	8 19 4	9 17 6	10 0 0
Potatoes (Local)...	12 9 10	19 4 4	18 12 8	13 4 3	9 12 8	11 7 0	7 0 6	7 17 4	8 5 3
Butter (Choicest) ... per lb.	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	16.00	16.00	16.76
Cheese (Prime) ...	10.90	10.90	11.10	11.10	11.10	11.09	10.25	10.32	10.60
Bacon (Sides) ...	12.60	12.28	11.70	11.54	11.22	12.10	11.82	11.43	11.35
Lard (Bulk) ...	7.09	7.50	7.40	7.25	7.25	7.25	6.75	6.75	6.80
Eggs (Case) ... per doz.	1 2 8	1 6 5	1 2 5	1 5	1 5	1 4 8	1 7	1 7	1 7
" (Hen, New Laid) ...	1 6 3	1 10 5	1 5 3	1 8 1	1 9	1 8 3	2 0	2 0	1 11 5

† Tasmanian.

§ Including Tax.



## No. 61—Index Numbers—Wholesale Prices, Sydney, 1920-39.

[Basis Year 1911=1000.]

Year.	Agricultural Produce. (13 items.)	Groceries. (26 items.)	Wool, Cotton, Leather and Jute. (9 items.)	Metals and Ccal. (16 items.)	Building Materials. (17 items.)	Meat. (5 items.)	Dairy Produce. (8 items.)	Chemicals. (6 items.)	All Com- modities. (100 items.)	Non- Rural Commo- dities. (78 items.)
1911	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
1920	2430	1914	3079	2602	2415	3113	2236	2301	2503	2490
1924	1475	1676	2408	2127	1988	2039	1671	1493	1874	1968
1925	1680	1673	2094	2117	1895	2042	1612	1423	1854	1872
1926	1892	1683	1652	2161	1893	1802	1760	1447	1834	1823
1927	1767	1682	1633	2197	1957	1971	1831	1483	1840	1851
1928	1456	1674	1798	2176	1937	1985	1763	1492	1785	1866
1929	1707	1661	1656	2164	1953	2391	1842	1457	1863	1841
1930	1428	1664	1384	2046	1941	2230	1571	1472	1705	1778
1931	1661	1758	1326	2038	1959	1538	1386	1633	1551	1804
1932	1137	1752	1235	2034	1943	1371	1295	1636	1525	1774
1933	1122	1659	1339	1995	1854	1518	1172	1585	1507	1716
1934	1114	1678	1393	1933	1712	1599	1245	1458	1504	1666
1935	1279	1677	1328	1920	1663	1609	1292	1374	1527	1651
1936	1299	1670	1470	1901	1707	1679	1316	1346	1502	1650
1937	1487	1671	1623	1985	1902	1754	1404	1358	1677	1731
1938	1523	1682	1502	2002	1922	2024	1488	1391	1679	1725

Monthly—1937-39.

[Basis Year 1911=1000.]

1937.										
January ...	1469	1671	1655	1909	1812	1725	1322	1341	1652	1679
February	1435	1671	1618	1938	1824	1603	1404	1341	1634	1689
March ...	1422	1671	1677	1986	1844	1614	1439	1341	1653	1714
April ...	1487	1667	1724	2009	1842	1545	1416	1341	1668	1721
May ...	1500	1667	1731	2001	1924	1471	1400	1341	1671	1743
June ...	1530	1668	1677	1988	1920	1616	1402	1350	1682	1739
July ...	1545	1671	1665	1988	1920	1684	1447	1354	1695	1739
August ...	1588	1673	1675	2006	1933	1835	1397	1378	1720	1748
September	1473	1673	1591	2015	1932	2092	1383	1378	1709	1750
October ...	1510	1673	1536	2005	1956	2040	1400	1378	1707	1753
November	1420	1675	1464	1988	1957	1958	1408	1378	1667	1750
December..	1433	1675	1465	1982	1959	1869	1428	1378	1663	1741
1938.										
January ...	1471	1675	1400	1981	1959	1893	1451	1378	1666	1741
February	1459	1675	1341	1981	1928	1919	1466	1378	1655	1724
March ...	1429	1678	1315	2030	1928	1836	1481	1378	1646	1732
April ...	1549	1677	1298	2031	1934	1913	1516	1384	1680	1731
May ...	1654	1677	1305	2005	1933	1807	1508	1384	1689	1723
June ...	1617	1677	1276	1993	1933	2142	1545	1384	1711	1718
July.....	1759	1680	1292	2011	1906	2295	1496	1394	1755	1719
August ...	1650	1680	1288	2009	1904	2407	1483	1394	1740	1718
September	1451	1676	1264	1992	1904	2320	1472	1395	1681	1714
October ...	1472	1695	1285	1997	1908	1998	1459	1404	1660	1726
November	1321	1695	1291	1995	1910	1944	1480	1404	1625	1726
December..	1444	1695	1268	1995	1918	1819	1494	1414	1639	1724
1939.										
January ...	1495	1695	1268	1979	1918	1919	1519	1414	1660	1720
February	1539	1698	1279	1979	1919	1879	1562	1414	1672	1723
March ...	1548	1704	1270	1983	1919	2080	1488	1414	1686	1727
April ...	1443	1702	1262	1980	1919	1946	1520	1414	1652	1728
May ...	1292	1703	1254	1978	1920	1830	1526	1414	1607	1727
June ...	1255	1703	1281	1980	1891	1774	1514	1414	1594	1720

NOTE.—The actual prices of the various commodities are published in the "Statistical Register of New South Wales," and a description of the methods employed in constructing the index is published in the New South Wales Official Year Book for 1920, page 487. Index numbers for the years 1901 to 1921 were published on page 520 of the Official Year Book for 1921. Sales Tax is included wherever chargeable.

## No. 62.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1881-1938.

	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1931.	1938.
Area, 309,432 square miles (excluding 940 square miles of Federal Territory, 912 at Canberra and 28 at Jervis Bay).							
<b>Population.</b>							
1st December ... 1,000 persons	782	1,162	1,376	1,702	2,132	2,566	2,736
Births ... .. No.	28,993	39,458	37,875	47,677	51,034	47,724	47,319
Deaths ... .. No.	37,900	34,555	27,711	28,611	25,911	18,671	17,391
Deaths ... .. rate	11,536	16,286	16,021	17,179	20,034	21,284	26,105
Marriages ... .. No.	15,081	14,261	11,721	10,331	9,501	8,331	9,591
Marriages ... .. rate	6,284	8,457	10,538	15,267	18,518	15,377	24,579
Land Settlement.							
Alienated holdings—							
31 acres and under 1,000	No. 29,393	33,668	42,614	49,251	50,166	*	*
1,000 to 10,000 acres	No. 6,520,387	8,422,014	10,332,903	12,878,652	15,315,331	*	*
Over 10,000 acres	No. 2,713	4,382	5,043	7,133	10,551	*	*
	acres 7,164,339	11,780,408	13,144,788	17,752,347	26,133,856	*	*
	acres 415	656	703	705	788	*	*
	acres 14,100,350	20,843,827	22,392,051	21,312,847	19,554,281	*	*
<b>Agriculture.</b>							
Total area under crop ... 1,000 acres	584	846	2,277	3,382	4,464	6,810	6,465
Wheat (grain)—Area ... 1,000 acres	222	357	1,392	2,129	3,127	5,135	4,405
Yield ... .. bshl.	3,406	3,964	14,809	27,914	55,625	65,877	55,104
Average ... .. bshl.	154	111	106	131	178	128	123
Maize (grain)—Area ... 1,000 acres	117	175	167	213	144	105	125
Yield ... .. bshl.	4,331	5,722	3,845	7,594	4,176	2,767	3,403
Average ... .. bshl.	369	328	229	356	290	263	272
Hay—Area ... .. 1,000 acres	147	164	442	639	854	807	760
Yield ... .. 1,000 tons	199	209	475	843	1,375	1,192	825
Average ... .. tons	136	128	107	132	161	132	109
Value of all Agricultural production ... .. £000	4,216	3,615	7,060	9,749	32,373	12,328	20,430
Value per acre of all crops	£ 7/4/5	4/5/5	3/2/0	2/16/2	7/5/0	1/16/2	3/3/2
<b>† Pastoral, Dairying, etc.</b>							
Sheep ... .. No. (1,000)	36,592	61,831	41,857	48,830	37,750	53,366	51,563
Cattle ... .. No. (1,000)	2,597	2,129	2,047	3,194	3,375	2,840	3,020
Horses ... .. No. (1,000)	399	470	487	689	663	525	529
Pigs ... .. No. (1,000)	214	253	266	371	306	334	357
Wool (as in the grease) ... 1,000 lb.	161,676	375,600	310,075	404,655	275,269	427,220	495,027
Value at Sydney ... .. £000	7,187	11,059	9,072	13,264	13,763	15,486	25,961
Butter ... .. 1,000 lb.	*	18,363	39,057	83,205	84,268	114,202	120,883
Cheese ... .. 1,000 lb.	*	5,506	3,839	5,461	6,407	6,516	8,005
Bacon and Ham ... .. 1,000 lb.	*	6,010	11,081	16,103	16,257	21,901	21,375
Value of Pastoral, Dairying and Farmyard Production ... .. £000	13,151	17,460	15,635	27,120	36,783	29,874	51,370
<b>Minerals Won.</b>							
Gold ... .. 1,000 oz. fine	135	132	174	181	51	20	89
Silver ... .. 1,000 oz.	574	559	737	769	217	119	781
Silver-Lead, ore, etc. ... 1,000 tons	134,850	730	448	1,767	1,963	50	84
Copper—Ingots and ore, etc. ... 1,000 tons	148	1804	177,095	325,163	3,151	7,357	3,171
Tin—Ingots and ore ... 1,000 tons	4,124	2,710	6,733	12,100	499	541	1,993
Zinc—Spelter Concentrates ... 1,000 tons	268	119	412	590	41	24	88
Coal ... .. 1,000 tons	6,433	1,657	659	1,929	1,595	794	1,100
Value of Minerals Won (exclusive of coke, lime, and Portland cement) ... .. £000	569	134	77	307	163	103	287
Value of Minerals at the place of production ... .. £000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
† Forests, Fisheries and Trapping.							
Value of Production ... .. £000	492	758	986	2,213	4,089	2,669	3,853
† Primary Industries.							
Value of Production ... .. £000	19,997	28,232	29,256	46,474	83,437	51,212	87,667
† Factories.							
Establishments ... .. No.	2,961	3,056	3,367	5,039	5,837	7,544	9,097
Persons employed ... .. males	28,819	43,203	54,556	82,083	107,700	93,881	164,391
Salaries and Wages paid ... .. females	2,372	7,676	11,674	26,541	31,511	33,724	60,470
Value of Plant and Machinery ... .. £000	4,273	4,952	10,048	25,619	25,200	42,210	57,223
Value of Output ... .. £000	16,807	25,648	54,346	137,841	118,484	214,884	214,884
† Manufacturing Industry.							
Value of Production ... .. £000	5,183	7,799	10,011	19,432	43,128	49,524	85,238
Production all recorded Industries ... .. per head £	6/15/6	6/16/7	7/6/6	11/13/5	20/12/8	19/9/2	31/9/4
Shipping.							
Inwards, Vessels ... .. No.	2,254	2,602	2,760	3,127	3,019	2,547	3,344
Outwards, Vessels ... .. net tons (1,000)	1,456	2,752	4,133	6,822	7,123	7,938	11,167
Value of Shipments ... .. No.	2,103	2,654	2,853	3,146	3,023	2,568	3,353
Value of Shipments ... .. net tons (1,000)	1,330	2,801	4,274	6,834	7,122	8,009	11,187

\* Information not available.

† Year ended 30th June.

	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1931.	1938.
<b>Trade (Including Bullion and Specie)</b>							
Imports, Oversea ... £Stg. 000	11,829	15,128	17,560	27,343	72,466	26,311	51,062
" per head	15/9/3	13/4/11	12/16/11	16/8/4	34/13/4	10/6/10	18/17/0
Exports, Oversea ... £A 000	9,754	14,621	18,211	32,161	52,602	31,865	48,412
" per head	12/15/0	12/16/0	13/6/5	19/6/3	25/3/3	12/10/6	17/17/6
<b>Interstate Transfers—</b>							
Inwards ... £000	5,758	10,256	9,368	*	*	*	*
Outwards ... £000	6,554	11,323	9,140	*	*	*	*
<b>Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea (See note).</b>							
Wool (greasy, scoured, and wool tops, etc., — unconverted), 1,000 lb. ... £000	81,907	235,471	217,286	297,820	180,782	353,277	318,657
Wheat and Flour** ... 1,000 bus. £000	4,108	7,670	7,420	11,980	12,822	14,126	19,117
Butter** ... 1,000 lb. £000	22	55	5,205	14,325	24,727	39,756	25,944
Frozen Mutton and Lamb** 1,000 lb. £000	5	12	681	2,519	11,191	5,066	5,584
Other Meats** ... £000	402	402	8,700	33,044	28,429	31,793	31,757
Tallow ... £000	12	18	379	1,519	3,458	1,802	1,919
Leather ... £000	*	*	39,370	59,949	21,472	36,709	62,084
Skins and Hides ... £000	*	*	382	682	681	625	1,470
Miscerals and Ores (exclusive of Gold) ... £000	192	198	490	981	1,347	681	950
Timber, undressed ... £000	244	293	363	871	615	282	196
Total value of Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea. (See note) ... £000	130	131	347	324	524	235	393
" per head	130	376	431	1,145	1,912	1,448	2,457
<b>Public Finance.</b>							
Revenue proper ... £000	8,153	11,215	13,268	27,491	48,303	30,347	45,019
" per head	8/11/3	8/11/2	7/15/6	8/9/6	16/5/7	16/16/1	20/1/3
Expenditure proper ... £000	626	10,216	9,992	14,471	34,477	51,450	54,315
" per head	7/7/1	8/18/11	7/6/5	8/16/8	16/9/10	20/4/4	20/1/0
General Loan ... £000	2,397	4,750	2,785	3,922	14,701	5,498	5,101
" per head	3/2/8	4/3/2	2/0/10	2/7/11	7/0/8	2/3/2	1/17/8
<b>Public Debt.</b>							
Total ... £000	16,924	52,951	67,361	95,524	164,336	279,929	349,319
Per head ... £	21/12/10	45/11/3	49/7/1	57/8/11	78/2/5	109/11/6	128/9/7
<b>Trading Banks.</b>							
Deposits ... £000	20,308	35,660	33,258	55,327	107,676	121,616	147,811
Advances ... £000	20,936	45,069	35,069	42,457	104,709	136,353	166,635
Assets ... £000	27,870	53,596	43,438	61,907	132,434	160,124	184,642
Liabilities ... £000	22,394	37,590	35,078	57,755	111,409	130,993	154,426
<b>Savings Banks.</b>							
Accounts ... No. (1,000)	72	158	306	544	1,126	1,744	*
Deposits ... £000	2,699	5,342	11,809	25,361	57,413	69,811	86,016
Average per account	37/5/8	33/14/5	38/11/0	46/12/4	50/19/4	39/18/3	47/12/9
Average per inhabitant	3/9/0	4/11/11	8/11/7	14/1/3	27/5/11	27/6/6	31/2/9
<b>State Railways.</b>							
Line open ... miles	995	2,182	2,864	3,761	5,043	6,044	6,114
Capital cost ... £000	13,302	31,769	38,933	50,972	82,304	132,563	146,808
Passengers ... No. (1,000)	6,907	19,038	29,261	60,920	120,735	126,812	189,349
Net earnings ... £000	706	1,143	1,456	2,351	3,235	2,363	5,726
Net return on capital invested ... per cent.	5.30	3.59	3.78	4.67	4.01	1.80	3.94
<b>State Tramways.</b>							
Line open ... miles	9½	43	79	190			

† Year ended 30th June.

Note—The exports in 1921, 1931 and 1938 include articles produced in other States of Australia. Since 1st January, 1912, the Commonwealth Customs Department has classified all goods produced in the Commonwealth simply as "Australian," without distinguishing, as formerly, the particular State where they were produced.

